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Reagan Budget: A Rocky Road U.S. Plans President's 'Agenda for the Future' Offers Few Specifics

By R.W. Apple Jr.
New York Times Service

WASHINGTON - The enormous federal deficit and the new budget-balancing law dominated President Ronald Reagan's State of the Union Message on Tuesday night, dominated his budget submitted Wednesday and may well dominate the remainder of his second term.

Weighing the State of the Union for the fifth time, the president evaluated it in the rich cadences of the committed evangelist. But the inescapable burden of the account books made the budget a far more sober

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document, full of potential for strife as it makes its way through the tortuous passages of government. In his State of the Union address, Mr. Reagan spoke

exuberantly of "this great American comeback."
"America is on the move," he said. "The United States is the economic miracle, the model to which the world once again turns. America believes, America is ready, America can win the race to the future. Nothing

is impossible, no victory is beyond our reach."

But there were few specific items on his "agenda for the future," a phrase that was underlined in his read-

Instead of proposing new programs, Mr. Reagan proposed studies of possible new programs dealing with international exchange rates, with catastrophic medical expenses and with the welfare program. And studies, as a leading Republican senator said, "are what you do when you want to stall."

For the moment, everything, or almost everything, must await the resolution of the complicated political deadlock created by the convergence of the deficit reduction mandated for this year by the budget-balancing law, by Mr. Reagan's insistence on protecting military spending and holding the line against new taxes, hy congressional resolve not to cut too deeply into domestic spending and by disagreements on how best to design a comprehensive bill on tax revision.

In one sense, that suits Mr. Reagan, because he has no appetite for expensive new programs, And rather man apologizing for a deficit that was created in large part by his administration, he apparently means to use it as a weapon that will help him achieve his central long-term goal, the shrinkage of the federal

Reagan Plan

By Steven V. Roberts

New York Tunes Service

ing Congress in its present form.

The leaders said Wednesday that

They agreed that any package

capable of passing Congress would have to allot less for the military

A Reagan administration report

to a loss of jobs. Page 11.

denied the trade deficit is linked

tartion more to domestic social

Senator Slade Gorton of Wash-

ington, a Republican member of

the Senate Budget Committee, ap-

peared to express a common view

when he said the administration

and important services down the

Senator Donald W. Riegle Jr., a

Washington Democrat and a com-

mittee member, said: "I'm very

troubled by the priorities in this

budget. They're very damaging to

the country, and I think the people

Senator Pete V. Domenici, a Re-

publican of New Mexico and chair-

man of the Budget Committee,

opened the first hearing on the

audget for the 1987 fiscal year with

plea for negotiations leading to a

package that he said must include

"I think taxes can be the glue that binds the package together,"

Members of the two parties di-

nipartisan negotiations that could

Republicans said it was a "good

omen," in the words of Senator

Warren B. Rudman of New Hamp-

shire, that Mr. Reagan used his

State of the Union Message on Tuesday night to suggest talks with the Democratic speaker of the House, Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. of

Democrats, however, said that

gesture was not an indication that

poliate seriously on a compromise.

that way," said Representative Wil-

Congress could be facing the

As they studied the budget docu-

thent Wednesday, many members of Congress said the optimistic

feelings generated by Mr. Reagan's

speech Tuesday had faded quickly.

"I felt a lot better last night when

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anybody else who did."

ducing the deficit

"a revenue component."

ashion a compromise.

wiassachusetts.

Mr. Domenici said.

of the country feel the same way."

throats of the American people."

was trying "to cram cuts in vital ple.

orograms and raise new revenue.

Both Parties Haiti Denies Reports

See Faults in Duvalier Sought Refuge

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti -

Government officials and state-run

television have denied reports that

President Jeao-Claude Duvalier

them speculation by "politically

quests by Mr. Duvalier for political

Duvalier had requested political

asylum several days earlier through

the Haitian Embassy in Caracas.

A spokesman for the Spanish

Foreign Ministry in Madrid, Inc-

cencio Arias, said Spain had reject-

an unidentified Spanish embassy in

said it had refused a request Wednesday that Duvalier be al-

lowed to visit Switzerland with his

family and an entourage of 50 peo-

they had rejected Mr. Duvalier's

None of the countries said why

President Ronald Reagan, asked

Thursday in Washington whether

Mr. Duvalier had sought asylum in

the United States, said: "To my

knowledge, there has been no such

[A State Department spokes-

Thursday that Mr. Duvalier had

Reuters reported. He would not

comment on what the U.S. re-

sponse would be if Mr. Duvalier

did make such a request nor would

he say whether the Haitian leader

had been warned not to apply for

Mr. Duvalier appeared Wednes-

an illegal strike by merchants that

shut down commerce in Port-au-

shoppers crowded the sidewalks.

Traffic filled the streets and

Most stores had been closed

since Jan. 31, when rioters smashed

Prince for two days.

oot asked to visit the United States.

lo Bern, the Swiss government

Greece said Wednesday that Mr.

asylum or permission to visit.

hostile" foreign media.

■WASHINGTON — Republican sought but was refused refuge in

agreed that President Ronald Reagan's budget has no chance of pass-and television commentators called

Congress would perform major surgery on the president's budget ports by Greece, Spain and Switzerland that they had rejected re-

than the president requested, ap- ed a similar request made through

verged sharply on the prospects for day to have broken what he called

and Democratic leaders, in a rare several European countries.

That seemed to be the implication of his statement in the budget message that "the deficit problem is also an opportunity - an opportunity to construct a new, leaner, better focused and better managed federa

But in another, equally weighty sense, the budget law sponsored by Senators Phil Gramm, Warren B. Rudman and Ernest F. Hollings limits his freedom of action. One senior member of his staff commented Wednesday, "For activists of the right as well as the left, Gramm-Rudman-Hollings is n straitjacket, and it

is going to stay that way for several years."

Both the State of the Union Message and the \$994-billion budget proposal he sent to Congress on Wednesday set out clearly Mr. Reagan's prescription for resolving the deadlock: Cut nonmilitary outlays, revamp the tax structure to meet the objections of conservative Republicans, impose no new taxes.

Bob Dole of Kansas, who as the leader of majority Republicans in the Senate is one of the two or three key figures on Capitol Hill, commented that the whole issue was full of what he called "thorny issues." He added: "It's going to take all the president's considerable persuasive powers and the rest of the administration's whole-hearted efforts to work with Congress and deal with them. They've got their work cut out." Mr. Reagan did not, in fact, specify any path through Mr. Dole's thicket.

The hostility Mr. Reagan faces in the House of Representatives — however ringing his appeals for Congress to "walk this last mile together" with the White House - was epitomized by the comment of Representative Les Aspin, Democrat of Wisconsin. The budget, he said, was "dead before arrival - an

irrelevancy" that stood no chance of passage.

One of the central players in the budget drama, a
Republican sympathetic to the president's views,
thought overnight about the State of the Union speech and about the budget, of which he had had a preview and said he was certain of only one thing: There would

have to he a "grand compromise."

It would come, he said, either in April or May or, failing that, in September, when automatic cuts under the Gramm-Rudman-Hollings formula had been worked out but oot carried out.

The work of the moment, and of many weeks to come, is the budget and tax revision. Only Mr. Reagan's second meeting with Mikhail S. Gorbachev, the Soviet leader, is likely to divert this city's attention for long in the next six to eight months.

Response To Soviet

Reagan Taking A Positive View Of Moscow Offer

By Don Oberdorfer

WASHINGTON - Presiden Ronald Reagan has decided to re-spond positively to the recent arms control proposals of Mikhail S. hev with particular emphasis on three aspects of the Soviet leader's offer, according to administration officials.

Mr. Reagan's general approach to the arms offer, which was discussed in detail at a National Security Council meeting Monday, reportedly was incorporated in the instructions of two senior U.S. arms advisers who are consulting U.S. allies in Western Europe and Asia and, for the first time in such a coordinating role, China.
Final decisions will not be made

until reports have been received next week from the two emissaries. They are Paul H. Nitze, who is headed to Britain, France, West Germany and other NATO countries, and Edward L. Rowny, who is going to Japan, South Korea, Australia and China, according to the

Testimony by Secretary of State George P. Shultz on Wednesday that the arms negotiations "may be at a rare moment of opportunity was said to reflect Mr. Reagan's

In response to questioning be-fore the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House of Representatives, Mr. Shultz made three points that officials said were likely to be incorporated into Mr. Reagan's answers to Mr. Gorbachev's offer.

It was "an advance" in the oegotiations, Mr. Shultz said, for the Soviet leader to have proposed the eventual elimination of all nuclear weapons and to have done so in "somewhat more operational form" involving schedules for radical cutbacks.

He added that "we have to look very carefully at what the coaditions would have to be that would and stable world."

This was reported to reflect a that certain conditions should be placed on proposals for elimination of ouclear weapons.

Mr. Gorbachev's proposals on intermediate-range nuclear forces were "interesting" but his proposals regarding strategic arms and weapons in space provided nothing new. Mr. Shultz said. ■ Movement in Vienna Talks The Warsaw Pact modified on

Thursday its stand at the East-West Jean-Claude Duvalier talks on reducing conventional forces in Europe and both sides windows and looted while celebrating reports that Mr. Duvalier had fled the country. That day, he anexpressed optimism ahont an agreement. Reuters reported from nounced a 30-day state of siege in A spokesman for the East bloc which the civil rights of Haiti's six million people were suspended.

said it would accept lower initial U.S. and Soviet troop cuts than noted in its earlier statements, and would consider an additional method for verifying any agreement. The offer fell short of NATO

demands, particularly on verifica-tion, but n Western spokesman said there were "good signals in the air."



Palestinians Threaten U.S. and Israeli Airlines

By Judith Miller

TRIPOLI, Libya - Militant Palestinian leaders say they may retaliate for Israel's diversion on Tuesday of a Libyan jet and have warned the world's travelers not to

fly on American or Israeli airlines. "We hope that you will inform the world clearly of this warning to civilians not to travel on American or Israeli planes from now ou," Ahmed Jebril, leader of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine General Command, said

Wednesday night.

The group led hy Mr. Jebiil, based in Damascus, is a splinter faction of the Palestine Liberation Organization

He issued the warning at a news conference on behalf of radical Palestinian groups that have been meeting in Tripoli to coordinate their response to U.S. sanctions against Libya and military maneuvers off the Libyan coast.

The participants at the news con-ference included persons whom Israel said it was attempting to capture when it forced down the Libyan executive jet that was travcling from Tripoli to Damascus. Instead, the plane was carrying a

Syrian delegation to the conference, headed by Abdullah al-Ahmar, n senior official of Syria's ruling Ba'ath Arab Socialist Party. The Syrians had left the conference early to return to Damascus. [In Washington, a State Depart-

ment spokesman called the threat irresponsible. Renters reported. "Should any group launch a terrorist attack against the United States, we will take whatever action we deem appropriate in response, said the spokesman, Charles Red-

Mr. Jebril mocked Israel's intel-

Among those appearing at the news conference were Abu Khaled el-Amli, deputy secretary of the Fatah Provisional Council; Abu Ali Mustafa, deputy to Georges Ha-bash, leader of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine; Abdul-Fatah Ghanem of the Palestine Liberation Front, and Arabi Awad of the Palestinian Commu-

nist Party.

Most of these groups are based in Damascus and are opposed to what they view as the overly conci iatory policies of Yasser Arafat, chairman of the PLO.

Also present was a man who identified himself as Abu Nizar, a representative of the Fatah-Revo-Intionary Command. The command is headed by Sabri el-Banna, better known as Abu Nidal.

The United States and several Western nations have accused Abu Nidal's organization of carrying out the twin massacres at Rome and Vienna airports on Dec. 27.

■ El Al Won't Boost Security A spokesman for Israel's national airline, El Al, said it had no plans to increase security. Reuters reported from Tel Aviv.

"Our reputation is such that people know our security arrangements are par excellence," said the spokesman, Nahman Kleiman, He added that the airline's routes were secure, far from the Lihyan

Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir vowed Thursday that Israel would capture Palestinian guerrilla leaders despite the failed attempt

ligence failure, saying that Prime Minister Shimon Peres had better dismiss his security and intelligence directors "if he expects to catch any

election violence. sions that have been arouse

Mrs. Aquino said in a radio in-

terview last weekend that civil was could crupt if the will of the people was frustrated in the elections. of vote-rigging by the government. tion and unity after the elections, violence, anger, hatred, civil war

called the election Friday a last mates that the government has

Military on Alert On Eve of Vote In Philippines

By Michael Richardson national Herald Tribune

MANILA - The Philippine military announced Thursday that all forces have been placed on the highest state of alert on the eve of an election to determine whether sident Ferdinand E. Marcos will continue his two decades of

The military mobilization at the

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Even before the election, the post-Marcos era began. ■ U.S. observers will be allowed into polling places.

end of a bitter two-month presidential election campaign heightened fears among opposition sup-porters that security forces might be used by Mr. Marcos to prevent his chief rival, Corazon C. Aquino, from winning the elections.

An announcer on Philippine government radio said, "The armed forces are on red alert, starting at noon today," meaning "that all military personnel will be on call for the next 24 hours."

A red alert is the highest state of

alert. Troops are customarily put on alert for elections, according to an Aquino campaign spokesman, Raul Contreras. But he added:

Everything is coninous right now.

Mr. Marcos accused his opponents of trying to "polarize" the country. In a statement issued by his office, he said any division within Philippine society would only

benefit Communist guerrillas. Mrs. Aquino, in an election eve statement, prayed to God to "deliver us from this evil, this crisis which

20 years of evil rule has brought As president, Mr. Marcos is also commander-in-chief of the armed forces. He declared martial law in

1972, citing the threat of lawlessness and Communist insurrection. Martial law lasted for eight and With both the main antagonists,

their party workers and supporters predicting victory, there appears to be considerable potential for post-

Referring to the partisan paslocal business executive said: "Filipinos have never acted like this before, It's scary, I don't think the opposition is prepared to accept

Some of her officials have warned In his final campaign rally Wednesday night, Mr. Marcos said that while he preferred reconciliathe government would use force if the opposition insisted on sowing

chance for peaceful democratic spent or committed as much as five change of government in the Phil- billion pesos (\$263 million) on de-

popularity despite erosion in recent years in the face of a Communist guerrilla war, charges of corruption

and economic deterioration.

Many Filipinos believe that goal is matiainable; a smaller number think that Mr. Marcos, 68, who has held power for more than 20 years, is in danger of being beaten in Friday's elections.

He faces a strong challenge from relatively united opposition led by Mrs. Aquino. The murder in August 1983 of her husband, Ben-igno S. Aquino Jr., a long-time po-litical rival of Mr. Marcos, plunged

the Philippines into turmoil.

The United States, the country's main ally, economic partner and source of aid, is worried about stability and access to important air. naval and communications bases. [President Ronald Reagan said Thursday in Washington that no matter who won, the United States would attempt to maintain its military bases as well as the "historic dship" between the two na-

tions. The Associated Press report-Mrs. Aquino has vowed to end Mr. Marcos' political career and possibly have him put on trial for alleged responsibility for the mur-der of her busband and other

abuses of power. She reiterated in a policy speech Monday her commitment to remove key Marcos loyalists from office and dismantle his administration's bases of power in the government, armed forces, bureaucra-

cy, judiciary, economy and the Her campaign has taken her through nearly all the Philippines' 74 provinces and generally drawn much larger and more enthusiastic

crowds than Mr. Marcos. Largely excluded from coverage on radio and TV which the government controls, she went directly to

the people. Mr. Marcos has traveled much less. He has used the media to accuse Mrs. Amine of having Com-

He has made heavy use of the resources and machinery of the government and his ruling party to try to win votes. This approach, which is the traditional way of applying political influence at election-time in the Philippines, calls for the distribution of patronage money and government projects through a network of local party leaders in cities, towns, villages and

rural areas across the country. Apart from controlling all agencies of the national government, the ruling party says it has its people running 70 oot of the 74 prov-inces, 53 of the 59 cities, 1,218 of 1.469 municipal governments and almost all the more than 41,500 barangays, the smallest political units in the Philippines.

Bernardo M. Villegas, a senior executive at the Center for Re-Some opposition leaders have search and Communication, estivelopment projects since the cam-Marcos officials have said that in paign began Dec. 6. He says much calling the elections the president of this money would normally have was seeking to consolidate his pow- been spent later in the year.

Spanish Vice Admiral Is Killed in Madrid Attack

By Edward Schumacher

Haiti, the poorest country in the Western Hemisphere. The government had threatened New York Times Service
MADRID — Suspected Basque extremists assassinated on Thurs-day a Spanish Navy vice admiral to arrest store owners and their who is a direct descendent of Chrisfailed to obey a presidential topper Columbus. Vice Admiral Cristóbal Colón de It also threatened to confiscate

Carvajal, 17 generations removed from the explorer, was killed along A Western diplomatic source said that about 40 percent of the Western diplomatic source with his driver as they drove on an exclusive residential street in Maassembly plants in the country drid, the police said. have been shut down following The three attackers threw a hand threats that they would be burned grenade and riddled the passing car (Continued on Page 3, Col. 4) with machine-gun bullets. A navy

wounded, hospital officials said. Admiral Colon, 61, was a member of the national commission preparing for the 500th anniversary in 1992 of Columbus's first voyage to America. He was overseeing a project to construct replicas of Columbus's three ships — the Niña, the Pinta and the Santa Maria — and recreate the original voyage, His son, a navy lieutenant whose name is also Cristobal, is expected to

command the new Santa Maria

After the shootings, the police

old gate to the city.
Witnesses said they saw the as-

it as helicopters flew overhead. The police said the three apparently escaped by another entrance.

The authorities said that the

weapons used and the detailed planning of the attack had the hallmarks of an operation by ETA followed the getaway car in a chase (Basque Homeland and Liberty). the assassinations.

across Madrid. But the assessins ETA has been hlamed for the cluded their pursuers and left their deaths of more than 500 people in car near the Puerta de Toledo, an its 17-year campaign for indepen-

dence of the Basque region.
The assassinations were the first sailants run into the garage of an this year, although a policeman and apartment building. The police sur-rounded the building and searched wounded Tuesday in Renteria, a Basque town, wheo a homb exploded under his private car.

The government of Prime Minis-ter Felipe González and many political leaders in Madrid and in the Basque region angrily condemned



Cristóbal Colón de Carvajal

the administration was ready to ne-"I don't think the speaker read it liam H. Gray 3d of Pennsylvania, chairman of the House Budget Committee. "And I don't know same sort of purtisan deadlock that thwarted progress last year on ef-forts to reduce deficits and that led to passage of a bill that mandates automatic budget cuts unless Congress meets annual targets for re-

Although there have been no of-

ficial casualty figures, security

forces are believed to have killed 70

persons and to have injured about 100 since unrest in Haiti intensified

The protests are the most sus-

François Duvalier, came to power

in 1957. There have been oo elec-

Opponents of the regime conced-ed that Mr. Duvalier had "won the

first round" in his attempt to pre-

vent further erosion of his power in

employees for up to six months if

edict to open for business.

business property of strikers.

since the leader's father,

two weeks ago.

ions since them.

Rebel mountain tribesman in South Yemen now guard government offices in Zinjibar, a former stronghold of Ali Nasser Mohammed, who was deposed as president last month.

In South Yemen, the Fear Remains

By William Claiborne Washington Past Service

ZINJIBAR, South Yemen -Two weeks after army troops rolled into this stronghold of Ah Nasser Mohammed and found evidence of what they said were wholesale mas-sacres of his political opponents, white flags of surrender still flew

this week over many dwellings. Residents apparently still fear reprisals despite insistence by the new regime that there will be none. Abyan province, to which the deposed president and his Politburo allies fled after the failure of their Jan. 13 attempt to eliminate their political rivals in South Yemen's Marxist government, is firm- army forces arrived in Zinjibar, a ly in the control of forces loval to the provisional president, Haidar Abu Bakı Atıas

But the authorities acknowl-

edged that after more than 200 killings here, many civilians were braced for a counterwave of terror. Mohammed Ali Qarhi, the act-

ing governor of Abyan, told a group of Western journalists visit-ing Mr. Mohammed's primary constituency that no reprisals by the victorious side had taken place. But neither he not other leading figures in the People's Socialist

Party said how many supporters of Mr. Mohammed had been arrested or taken into custody. One militiaman said some of those arrested had been killed. Mr. Mohammed and his chief

aides reportedly fled Abyan before coastal town 40 miles (64 kilometers) east of Aden. Officials said they apparently are now out of the

Mohammed's home district, white flags were flying over many houses, but the local police commander, Mohammed Saleh Mahrash, said that the residents had been "completely terrified by Ali Nasser's propaganda." Mr. Mabrash said that some

"misled" people had left the village at Mr. Mohammed's request to fight for him in Zinnibar.
One of the "misled" villagers

produced by the local authorities. Ali Ahmed Mansour, said that he and 15 other residents went to Ziniibur but he said he did not fight the government troops who entered the ity on Jan. 20.

a Kalashnikov assault rifle, said that when he arrived in Zinjibar he (Confinsed on Page 3, Col. 5)

Mr. Mansour, who was carrying

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South Africa could be ruled by black presidents one day provided whites keep their rights. R.F. Botha said. Page 2. ■ Guatemala's secret police agency has been abolished by

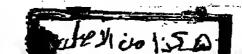
the country's president. Page 3. An extensive study in the U.S. gives evidence that AIDS is not spread through day-to-

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The musical anthology is an old show-business form but most attempts at it are self-defeating.

Britain has ended talks on selling BL's Austin Rover sub-

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President Ferdinand E. Marcos at a rally in Manila.

Even Before Election, Post-Marcos Era Begins

By Jim Hoagland
Washington Post Service
MANILA — Whether President Ferdinand E. Marcos succeeds or fails in his bid for re-election Friday, the post-Marcos era has already begun in the Philippines.

That is the judgment of many of the major actors here, including a substantial part of the local business community, the Catholic clergy, the Communist guerrilla movement fighting in the countryside and U.S. policy makers.

These groups and others are busily positioning themselves in a transition that they believe has already begun. Even some of Mr. Marcos's cabinet ministers now publicly stress their differences with the boss as they eye the uncer-

There is one significant doubter of this fast-forming consensus, however, It is Mr. Marcos himself. A skillful politician who has de-

fied debilitating illness and predic-tions of his political downfall before, Mr. Marcos makes it clear to visitors to his office at Malacanang Palace that he has no intention of yielding or significantly diluting the power he has held and hoarded for two decades.

Mr. Marcos does not appear to entertain the idea that he will be beaten by Corazon C. Aquino, the 1969 as governor of California. surge of popular enthusiasm for Mrs. Aquino.

Ohservers in Manila and in Washington feel that Mr. Marcos controls the levers of power so fied that there are problems," tightly that he can ensure being reelected no matter what the popular mood is. He can probably even tailor the results so that he wins by a sufficiently small margin to defuse criticism from Washington that he won through fraud, in this To Mr. Marcos, these elections

are not about who will hold power. They are about his future relations

However, officials in the Reagan administration and the U.S. Congress have concluded that Mr. Marcos heads a regime so corrupt and enfecbled that he will not be able to control an increasingly explosive situation if be wins.

"He is a master tactician," said a diplomat, who believes Mr. Marcos called the elections to deflect American pressure on him for wide-ranging reforms. "But the Philippines needs a strategy now,

By Michael Dobbs

Washington Post Service
PARIS — France's Socialist gov-

erument on Thursday blamed "im-

ported terrorism," possibly from the Middle East, for a series of

bombings in Paris this week and

strengthened security at shopping centers, railroad stations and air-

speculating that the aim of the

bombings was to put pressure on

the government to release terrorists

President François Mitterrand

called in senior ministers Thursday

to discuss how to respond to the

attacks. Interior Minister Pierre

Joxe said in a statement that the

dated" by the bombings.

overnment would not be "intimi-

Political analysts said the bomb-

ings were a setback to France's

strategy of trying to win immunity

from terrorism by negotiating with

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from French jails.

But Mr. Marcos appears to be-

lieve that his long friendship with pine affairs. A group of writers and Ronald Reagan will help him artists signed an advertisement that weather the political and economic storms sweeping the Philippines once he has demonstrated Friday that he still runs the show.

Mr. Marcos does not wait until he greets an American visitor to recall that he and his wife, Imelda, have considered themselves personal friends of the Reagans for most of the 20 years that they have ruled the Philippines.

In the waiting room just outside the president's office, among the autographed photographs of the powerful and titled personalities that the Marcoses have met over the years, only one rates a separate display stand at the front of the Enclosed in a mother-of-pearl

frame is a photograph of Mrs. Reagan, inscribed, "To Imelda, With my love, Nancy."

And sprinkled among the recent full color photos of the Soviet leader, Mikhail S. Gorbachev, Princess Margaret of England, Prime Minis-ter Yasuhiro Nakasone of Japan and others, are black and white snapshots of the Reagans and the Marcoses dancing together during the visit Mr. Reagan made here in

lem with the Reagan administration," Mr. Marcos said in an interview in his office, noting that he would have to be "formally noti-Mr. Reagan himself before he would believe it.

"The problem is with some bureaucrats and with some members of Congress" whom Mr. Marcos characterized as "sympathizers with the opposition or Communist-

In Washington, officials say that Mr. Reagan has not let his past association with the Marcoses lessca his support for a policy of distancing the United States from Mr. Marcos and his policies.

But Mr. Reagan is also known to feel strongly that his administra-tion should never treat a friendly leader in a way that could be compared to the Carter administration's handling of the shah of Iran.

Thus, in the confused jockeying that is expected to follow the elections, Mr. Reagan's personal attitude is likely to be decisive in charting a U.S. response.

France Cites 'Imported Terrorism'

After three explosions in three

days in Paris, eight persons were still in hospitals recovering from wounds. One, a 26-year-old man, had his left leg amputated Wednesday night. Fifteen other persons

have been released from hospitals

after being treated for lesser inju-

Interviewed on television, Mr.

Joxe said Thursday that the gov-

ernment feared that an attempt

could be made on railroad stations

in Paris this weekend, when thou-

sands are expected to travel to ski

resorts. He said France was being

people's problems." He would not

Prime Minister Laurent Fabins

suggested that the terrorist trail could be traced to the Middle East,

but he added that it was impossible

be more specific.

affected by the "fallout from other of the blackmailer."

Philippines To Let U.S. **Team Into Polling Sites**

MANILA - Senator Richard G. Lugar said Thursday that the Philippine government has reversed itself and will allow his 20member group of election observers to enter polling places during Friday's presidential election.

"We will have the ability to look at everything that our eyes can see and at whatever close range we need to see it," said Mr. Lugar, an Indiana Republican and chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, in a speech. "We appreciate that."

He had expressed concern over a ruling three weeks ago by the Comnission on Elections that foreign observers would have to remain at least 50 yards (46 meters) from polling places.
President Ferdinand E. Marcos

is being challenged by Corazon C. Aquino, widow of the assassinated opposition leader Benigno S. Aquino Jr.
The elections commission con-

firmed Thursday that there had been a reversal, but it said it did not apply to an mofficial foreign observer group nor to foreign journal-

It also said that Mr. Lugar's team of official U.S. pollwatchers would have to be accompanied by a Philippines election official. Mr. Lugar had said it would have

been virtually impossible for the pollwatchers to see anything 50 yards from the polling places and said he would try to have the rule He repeatedly denied that U.S. observers were meddling in Philip-

appeared Thursday in a pro-Marcos newspaper, accusing Mr. Lugar of interference. After the speech, the U.S. pollwatchers, who include members of

Congress and private citizens, broke into groups and dispersed throughout the Philippine archipel-ago in preparation for the voting. ■ 3 Groups to Monitor Voting

John Burgess of The Washington
Post reported earlier from Manila:
Three separate observer groups
will monitor the election. They are the following: • The official U.S. group, ap-pointed by President Ronald Rea-

gan and led by Mr. Lugar and Representative John P. Murtha, a Pennsylvania Democrat.

 An international group organized by the U.S. Republican and Democratic parties. Its 44 memhim," he noted, adding: "We were bers include a former president of Colombia and a member of the British parliament from Northern aid to Mr. Savimbi and his forces might he provided. But he ap-Ireland. An unknown number of offi-

cials from the U.S. and other embassies in Manila. In recent days, the U.S. mission has brought in Americans with past Philippine extience for temporary duly The observers were invited by

Mr. Marcos, but some members of his New Society Movement appear unenthusiastic about their pres-

The U.S. Embassy is viewed by many Marcos supporters as favoring Mrs. Aquino.
At a news conference, J.V. Cruz.

a spokesman for the New Society Movement, welcomed the observers but said they must not interfere. He also said it was difficult to see Pope Mourns the Victims how much a small number of people could get a total picture of what

goes on in the voting. Mrs. Aquino's supporters generally say that Mr. Marcos's party intends to commit fraud and will find it tough to do so if foreigners

Minister Removed in Chana ABIDJAN, Ivory Coast - Gha-M. Ewa, has been relieved of his post, Accra radio said Thursday. The radio gave no reason for the

ng four French hostages for

eight months. One of the major

demands of the kidnappers has been the release of five persons

jailed in France for plotting to kill

Shahpur Bakhtiar, the former Ira-

With the legislative elections due

in five weeks, political analysts said

it would be very difficult for the

government to appear to be giving way to pressure from terrorists. An

editorial Thursday in the Paris dai-

ly Le Monde declared that "any

government worth its name knows

very well that to give in to black-

mail is to put oneself at the mercy

The "Lebanon connection" the-

ory has been disputed by an inter-

mediary with the Beirut kidnap-

said the kidnappers were aware

that terrorist acts on French soil

would have the effect of further

man prime minister, in 1980.

printers demonstrate outside the offices of the Trades Union Congress.

U.K. Electricians Facing Suspension

LONDON — A British electricians union was threatened Thurs- plant. day with suspension from the na-tional trade union movement over complaints that its members have taken the jobs of printers dismissed at Rupert Murdoch's new high technology press plant.

The General Council of the

Trades Union Congress announced after a 14-hour meeting that it would suspend the small, rightist electricians union unless it agreed

WASHINGTON - Secretary of

State George P. Shultz has said he strongly favors U.S. aid to the An-

golan rebel leader Jonas Savimbi

and his anti-Marxist guerrilla

In testimony Wednesday to the Foreign Affairs Committee of the

House of Representatives, Mr.

Shultz made clear that Mr. Sa-

vimbi, who has been lobbying in

Washington for direct U.S. support

for his forces, got a positive re-sponse from Reagan administra-

am in favor of helping Mr. Sa-vimbl, very much so."

"We believe we should support

Mr. Shultz did not indicate how

peared to go out of his way to

defend the use of covert action and

covert assistance in such cases as

35,000 Cuban troops, supported by

the Soviet Union, are assisting the Marxist government that Mr. Sa-

By E.J. Dionne Jr.
New York Times Service

Il prayed Thursday for the victims of the Bhopal chemical disaster and

told India's priests that their work on behalf of the poor must grow

John Paul toured this city on the

Arabian Sea, a former Portuguese

colony where missionaries brought the Catholic faith 400 years ago, and visited the city of Mangalore, another sea town, for a brief prayer

It was there, before 400,000 peo

ple and under a scorching sun, that

the pope said he prays constantly

the tragedies that accompany

people who lost their lives in Bho-pal."

through the sad event but have suf-

fered greatly," the pope continued.
"I pray that they will experience
the fuliness of fraternal solidarity."

In another development, the

pope's chief spokesman said Thurs-

day that John Paul would be will-

ing to meet with the Soviet leader,

Mikhail S. Gorbachev, during Mr.

Gorbachev's expected visit to

"If Gorbachev comes to Italy, it

could be an occasion for a meeting.

Rome later this year.

"t also recall those who lived

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Of Bhopal Gas Disaster

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tan's efforts to make progress." all, including those who are not

vimbi has been fighting.

Aid to Angolan Rebels

The electricians have been hired by Mr. Murdoch's News International group to operate new technology at its plant in Wapping, in East London, the first in modern history to publish newspapers without employees from Britain's

The unions said the electricians were doing work usually done by

sanction the Trades Union Con-gress, which groups 10 million members of hundreds of unions, could impose against the electri-cians' union without risking legal **Shultz Strongly Backs**

plant last month.

"I believe that any country that throws away that tool is making a big mistake," he said of covert action. "It is a very important part of our ability to deal with world problems and we shouldn't let go of it." Mr. Shultz also defended the ad-

ministration's request for new spending for anti-terrorist security improvements at U.S. embassies and consulates. But Representative Dante B. Fascell, the Florida Democrat who is the panel's chairman, told Mr. Simitz that the chances of approval

mate are "slim and none," Going far beyond previous ex-pressions of moral support for Mr. Savimbi's cause, Mr. Shultz said: "I ■ Republicans File Suit Six Republican congressmen led by Philip M. Crane of Illinois have bar the Export-Import Bank from

in the current budget-cutting cli-

American oil company in Angola, The New York Times reported from Washington. The petition, filed Wednesday in U.S. District Court in Alexandria, Virginia, contends that Angola is a ist country and as such is not eligible for assistance by the

eign buyers of American goods, in that apartheid is disappearing, is this case to the Chevron Oil Co., which does \$2 billion in annual business in Angola through its subsidiary. Gulf Oil.

Mr. Shultz said the repeal last year of the so-called Clark amend-Mr. Crane said. "It is Indicrous ment, banning either overt or cofor the Export-Import Bank to aid vert aid to any warring group in Angola, placed the administration in the financing of a project for a Communist nation while President "in a different position than be-Reagan publicly embraces that country's rebel leader."

pope said that their commitment

cluding those who are not poor."

volved service to everyone, "in-

But John Paul also issued a

veiled rebuke to well-to-do Indian

clergy who live in a style well out of

the financial reach of their poor

The pope emphasized the church's commitment to the poor

in his address, but said that "for the

priest's love for the poor to be au-

simplicity and humble service to

At another point John Paul told

the priests: "All reform must begin

The message seemed to balance John Paul's gentle criticism of radi-cal Catholics with a sentiment

about priestly poverty that some of

the radicals themselves have often

expressed. A group of radical

priests in India opposed the pope's

visit and the expenditure it in-

John Paul told the priests that

they might have something to learn

from Indian gurus, and used the

example of the gurus in support of a traditional Catholic notion of the

with a change in our hearts."

R.F. Botha Says a Black **Could Rule**

Sun, The Times, The Sunday Times and News of the World to the new

Union sources said the ultim

turn was the most far-reaching

ter R.F. Botha said Thursday that South Africa could be ruled by black presidents in the future provided that agreement was reon protecting the rights of whites and other minorities.

"As long as we can agree in a suitable way on the protection of minority rights without a racial sting," he said, "then it would pos-sibly become unavoidable that in the future you might have black drought. presidents of this country." "If blacks share in the power of

this country, that to me becomes an by Philip M. Crane of Illinois have inevitable result," he added. He filed a lawsuit in federal court to said he would have no objection to serving in a government that indisbursing any more loans to an cluded blacks.

of the more moderate members of the cabinet, was speaking at a briefing for foreign correspondents. He said the government was try-

ing to dismantle racial segregation and share power with blacks without destroying cultural diversity or yielding to Communism.

dying," be said.

Mr. Botha reiterated his objec-

four times as many blacks as whites were unemployed.

tained." he said.

and a half times greater than that of whites, or 15 percent compared with 5.9 percent, according to the

The pope's address to the priests represented what Vatican officials miners died and 34 were injured Wednesday night in factional fight-GOA, India - Pope John Paul had said was one of the John Paul's most important statements to the ing at the world's deepest mine, Seeking to warn priests against certain forms of leftist activism, the Anglo American Corp. said Thurs-

> at the Western Deep Levels mine near Johannesburg came a day af-ter one black died and 56 were injured in another tribal clash involving workers at the mine.

CAPE TOWN -- Foreign Minis-

tion to foreign interference in South African affairs and accused the United States of hypocrisy. He said that in the United States.

"That is the sophisticated form of apartheid still being main-

[The black unemployment rate in the United States is about two

The fight between tribal factions

WASHINGTON (UP1) — A MASA critical stand at the first meeting. Thursday of the presidential commission investigating the Challenger explosion that the agency had not purpointed the location of the plume of fire that spewed from the side of a booster rocket on the space shuttle. Jesse W. Moore, associate administrator in charge of the significance for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, used program for the shuttle to show commission members the general area on the locate side of the sight band broaden members the general area on the lower side of the right hand booster where the abnormal flame seemed to have come from. "That's basically all the data that we have at this point is

have come from. "That's basicany all the data that we have at this point in time until we do our high speed photographic enliancement and begin to pin that down some more," Mr. Moore said.

President Roundd Reagan has given the commission 120 days to determine the probable cause of the Jan. 28 shuttle explosion that killed seven crew members. The Challenger commission is sequired by law amoet in public unless classified information is being discussed.

WORLD BRIEFS

rescue bid by a consortium of five European companies. He said that he had declined the offer of knighthood.

Mr. Bristow said the offer was made by two members of the House of Lords but he would not identify them. The office of Prime Minister.

Margaret Thatcher had no immediate comment on the allegation. The

Westland controversy led to two cabinet resignations last month said charges that the government has secretly favored the U.S.-Italian office.

NASA Hasn't Pinpointed Booster Fire

WASHINGTON (UPI) -A NASA official said at the first ma

dismissed from News International when it moved production of The Gemayel Rejects Demands to Resign

BEIRUT (Reuters) - President Amin Gemayel has rejected do-mands for his resignation over his refusal to back a Lebenese militian peace agreement mediated by Syr-

"I am not the problem. I am trying to solve the problem." Mr. Gemayel said at a press briefing Wednesday night. It is not a question of personal ambition. I am convinced my presence here is a duty and necessary for the sake of the future of the nation."

Mr. Gemayel made his com-ments shortly before telephoning President Hafez al-Assad of Syria to condemn Israel's interception. Tuesday of a Libyan jet carrying Syrian officials. One newspaper said the two men also discussed the Lebanese political crisis. It was the first known contact between the two



leaders since Mr. Gemayel refused to give the peace pact full support during talks with Mr. Assad last month.

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Ethiopia Slows Resettlement Program ADDIS ABARA, Ethiopia (Reuters) - Ethiopia has slowed down its

program to move more than one million people to more fertile regions int. will not abandon it altogether, a senior government minister has said.

Berhanu Bayih, a member of the Polithuro of the ruling Workers' Party
who is responsible for labor and social affairs, said Wednesday that slowing down the program would help consolidate what had already hem achieved. About 600,000 people have been resettled from areas prome to But the official said resettlement would continue because the govern-

ment believed there was no viable alternative. A private French his tarian group, Doctors Without Borders, was expelled from Ethiopia last year after it alleged that 100,000 people had died during the resettlement

Mr. Botha, who is viewed as one PLO Asks Talks Based on UN Measure

AMMAN, Jordan (AP) - The Palestine Liberation Organization has given Jordan an official statement calling for Middle East peace talks based in part on United Nations Security Council Resolution 242 in the hope of overcoming the U.S. refusal to deal with the PLO, sources said The message, relayed Wednesday to King Hussein by Yasser Arafat.

the PLO chairman, appeared to be the first explicit PLO acceptance of the resolution, which implies acceptance of Israel but treats the Palestinians only as refugees. The message firmly linked the resolution with other UN measures calling for a Palestinian state.

The PLO, in turn, was given a countersuggestion that originated with U.S. officials, the sources said. There was no formal response, but the exchange indicated that efforts to reconcile the U.S. and PLO positions

For the Record

Former Ugandan troops fleeing north killed more than 300 civilians in the town of Mbale during the weekend, President Yower Museveni of Thousands of British demonstrators opposed to nuclear weapons stage a sit-down Thursday and blocked entrances to a site in central England

destined to become Britain's second cruise missile base. mentalist Moslem militia has freed the three passengers and three crew of a United Nations helicopter that its lighters shot down over

National Urban League, a U.S. group that represents black urban poor.]

In another development, six gold miners died and 34 were injured miners died and 34 were injured ceremony is scheduled for July 4.

The Chief and American are the strength of the scheduled for July 4. The Salvadoran Army said it killed 56 guerrillas in a rebel stronghold on the slopes of the Guazapa volcano north of San Salvador and displaced

427 of their civilian supporters in a four-week operation. The announcement was made Wednesday.

A plane presumed to be Soviet intruded briefly into Japanese airspace
Thursday night, prompting a scramble by Japanese jets. The plane turned
away after a warning, the Japan Defense Agency said.

A report by Aumesty International has accused Moroccan authorities of systematically torturing political prisoners and denying them access to their families, lawyers and doctors.

German Opposition Leader Meets Reagan to Mend Ties

By David K. Shipler WASHINGTON - President

Ronald Reagan moved Wednesday to mend ties with West Germany's opposition Social Democratic Party by meeting with Johannes Rau, the party's candidate for chancellor in next year's election. Mr. Ran said later that the presi-

dent had expressed his desire to maintain good relations with the West German opposition as well as with the government of Chancellor Helmut Kohl. This was a departure for Mr. Reagan, who refused to meet with the party's chairman, former Chan-

cellor Willy Brandt, during a visit

to West Germany in May. The president refused to see Mr. Brandt after demonstrations led by the Social Democratic Party struck anti-American themes. Mr. Rau is anything but abra-

sive, however. He speaks in conciliatory tones. A centrist with the avowed mission of reversing his party's recent leftward drift, he has declared his desire to see West Germany remain

part of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, In remarks Wednesday, he



governments for criticisms on hu-

Mr. Rau said U.S. intermediate-

range missiles in Europe, specifically the Pershing-2 and cruise mis-siles, needed to "be negotiated away just like their Soviet counterparts." This was a more moderate stance than his party's earlier outright opposition to the weapons.

Moscow Counters: Rome Expulsions With 2 of Its Own ROME - The Soviet Union has

retaliated for the expulsion of two of its officials from Rome, ordering an Italian diplomat and an indus-trialist out of Moscow, sources said Thursday. It was the second episode of re-

taliatory expulsions in Europe this week. Paris expelled four Soviet diplomats on Monday; Moscow countered by expelling four French Officials. In Moscow, the official press

agency Tass said "a number of Italian officials in Moscow had failed to observe the rules of conduct of foreign representatives in the U.S.S.R. and engaged in activities incompatible with their status.

The sources said the Italian diplomat ordered to leave Moscow was an embassy first secretary. Luigi Mattiolo, 29. The Italian state steel holding company Finsider said its representative in Mos-cow for the past 10 years, Marco Vianello, was also ordered out.

Official sources said Wednesday that a Soviet embassy first secretary, Viktor Kopytin, and Acroflot's station manager, Andrei Che-lukbin, were expelled for activities incompatible with their status, the cuphemism often used for spying.

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said that evidence gathered so far pers, Dr. Razah Raad. In an suggested that the terrorist trail interview on French television, he

Most French newspapers have delaying a prisoner exchange.

such governments as Syria and linked the bombings to negotia-

Iran, which are thought to exercise tions now under way with extremist some influence over extremist groups in Lebanon that have been

5 Die in U.S. Coal Accident

FAIRVIEW, West Virginia

The Associated Press

Five workers died Thursday when they were buried under tons of coal being loaded into a bin at a mining complex, officials said. The bin was being loaded when the workers fell into it.

Joaquin Navarro Valls. to their care."

but it is too premature to make predictions," said the spokesman, The importance of the guru as mediator of divine truth is recognized in India," the pope declared "How much more zealously should

priesthood

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priests fulfill their mission as spiritual guides to the people entrusted The pope appeared, however, to be calling for caution in adapting. Hindu rites to the Catholic Mass when he told the priests that the

sacrament of the Eucharist "remained the source and sommit of the whole work of evangelization." avoided singling out pro-American

Kennedy, in Soviet, ⁴ Praises Sakharov

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MOSCOW - Senator Edward M. Kennedy, addressing the Soviet Academy of Sciences on Thursday, praised Andrei D. Sakharov, the dissident physicist who is in exile in

the closed city of Gorky. The reference to Mr. Sakharov was contained in a speech to Anatoli Alexandrov, the academy presdent, and other top scientists.

Mr. Kennedy praised the award last year of the Nobel Peace Prize to an international group of doctors campaigning to prevent nuclear war. The group is led by activists from the United States and the So-

"And I also pay tribute here to another eminent Nobel laureate, the first Soviet citizen to receive the Nobel Peace Prize, a member of your academy, Dr. Andrei Sakha-rov," be said. "The indispensable value of science is its ability to speak truth to power," the Massa-

husetts Democrat added. Mr. Sakharov was awarded the prize in 1975 after years of campaigning on human rights issues. He was exiled to Gorky in January 1980 after criticizing the Soviet intervention in Afghanistan.

In an impromptu reply, Mr. Alexandrov also referred to Mr. Sakharov, noting that he had con-tributed to building the first Soviet nuclear weapons in 1949.

The senator arrived Tuesday in Moscow on a private visit at the mvitation of the Supreme Soviet, the nominal parliament. He met later Thursday with Mikhail S. Gorbachev. Tass reported that Mr. Gorbachev said the next U.S.-Soviet summit meeting, which is to be held later this year, must produce practical results.

The press agency quoted Mr. Gorbachev as saying that the Ge-neva meeting last November with President Ronald Reagan had created conditions for rectifying superpower relations.

But "verbal tributes" to the summit conference were not enough and the next meeting should yield practical results, producing serious shifts toward disarmament, Tass

reported. The visit takes place against the backdrop of an expected East-West spy exchange, in which a jailed Jewish activist, Anatoli B. Shcharansky, is to be included, according to widespread reports.

Warsaw Confirms Deal

The Polish government spokes-man, Jerzy Urban, was quoted Thursday by Agence France-Presse in Warsaw as saying that Jerzy Kaczmarek, a Polish national who was arrested to March in West Germany, would be freed. Mr. Urban refused to disclose the venue of the

SEATTLE - Five members of a

violent white-supremacist group

tenced Thursday to maximum pris-

on terms ranging from 60 to 100 years each for their rules in a con-

spiracy to overthrow the U.S. gov-

All five men participated in at least some of the bank and ar-

mored-car tobberies that netted the

group more than \$4 million, and

trial testimony indicated that three

U.S. District Judge Walter Mc-

Govern imposed the sentences Thursday on Bruce Carroll Pierce.

31; Randolph George Duey, 35; Gary Lee Yarbrough, 30; Andrew Virgil Barnhill, 29; and Richard

Mr. Pierce was accused of a ma-

chine-gun slaving on June 1984 that killed Alan Berg, a Jewish ra-

dio commentator in Denver. Mr.

Berg, through outspoken criticism

of rightist extremists, had angered

Prosecutors said Mr. Duey and

4 Killed in Attack

BAHRAIN - Four crewmen

were killed and one was injured

Thursday when a tanker was hit

during a missile attack in the Gulf

apparently launched by Iran, ship-

The vessel, the Cyprus flag carri-

er Avocet, was hit and set on fire

about 50 miles (\$0 kilometers) east

of the northern tip of Qatar in a

zone where only Iran has previous-

ly attacked shipping. The sources said the crew abandoned the ship.

which was managed by Troodos Shipping Ltd. of Greece.

The tanker normally ferries

crude oil from Iranian terminals in

the northern Gulf to tankers outside the Gulf, causing the sources to suggest an error by Iranian at-

tackers. Iran stepped up attacks

last month on ships calling on Arah

ports after Iraq increased air strikes

on Iranian oil outlets.

ping sources said.

On Gulf Tanker

members of The Order.

their activities.

Harold Kemp, 23.

of the men participated in two kill-

ernment and establish an Aryan

homeland.

In Bonn, meanwhile, the Bild



Edward M. Kennedy

newspaper said that 11 West German nationals imprisoned in the Soviet Union for spying for West Germany and the United States would be exchanged for Soviet bloc spies held in South Africa and West

■ Wife Is Skeptical

A spokesman for the Society of Human Rights in West Germany said that Mr. Shcharansky's wife, Avital, apparently distrusted the reports about the exchange and had no plans to travel from her home in Israel to West Germany, United Press International report-

"When we contacted her through a close confidant two days ago, she was still awaiting concrete information," said a spokesman for the group, which monitors human

rights worldwide. A West German intelligence source said that of the five persons expected to be handed over by the Russians, two were thought to have been convicted of espionage, in-cluding Mr. Shcharansky, who was

convicted in 1978 on charges of spying for the United States. Mr. Shcharansky, 38, has served eight years of a 13-year prison

His wife was allowed to leave the Soviet Union for Israel to 1974 and is believed to be staying on a kib-butz in the north of the country, although her home is in Jerusalem.

It was not clear if Mr. Shcharansky, who has become a symbol for the Soviet Jewish emigration movement, would join her there if he was released.

The totelligence source denied West German press reports that as many as 11 persons from each side might be traded. The source also denied reports that the Soviet Union was demanding \$2 million for Mr. Shcharansky's release.

of Robert Mathews, and embarked

on a campaign to establish a

"White American Bastion" without

Jews and racial minorities. The plot collapsed on Dec. 8,

off with FBI agents.

In Neo-Nazi Plot in U.S.

5 Get at Least 60 Years

Before he took office, Mr. Cerezo said that prosecution of human rights abuses would be up to the courts and indicated that his government would concentrate on the present rather than attempt to prosecute military men for past the neo-Nazi group was formed in 1983 at the Washington state home

Asked if any secret prisons were found, the president said: "There was no secret jail in that police department and there were no peo-

1984, when Mr. Mathews died in a fire at his Whidbey Island hideout, near Seattle, after a 37-hour standty forces are holding many of them A three-and-one-half-month triin secret prisons. al ended Dec. 30 with racketeering

convictions for 10 members of the group. The remaining five are to be ntenced Friday. Mr. Pierce and Mr. Duey in parterm ended in 1982. ticular were leaders of the sect and were heavily involved in the

group's crimes, according to trial In a lengthy statement, Mr. Yarbrough criticized the trial as a "gross injustice" and denied he was a neo-Nazi.

"These men are no more guilty than were their forefathers who participated in the Boston Tea Par-

ty," be said. He also said his beliefs and those of his colleagues were shared hy Mr. Kemp participated in the kill-ing of Walter West, a member of ousands throughout the country. "There will be many more to follow," he said. "The blood will

the Church of Jesus Christ Chrisflow, and it grieves me." tian (Arvan Nations) in northern Eleven other persons named in Idaho. Many members of The Order had belonged to Arvan Nathe initial racketeering indictment pleaded guilty before the trial. Richard Scutari remains at large tions, and they were said to have considered Mr. West a security threat because he talked about and is on the FBI's list of 10 Most Wanted fugitives.

Secret Police Abolished in Guatemala; Agents Held

The Associated Press GUATEMALA CITY --- President Marco Vinicio Cerezo, whose inauguration less than a month ago ended 16 years of military rule, has abolished Guatemala's secret police and ordered the detention and fingerprinting of its 600 members, including its leaders.

The Technical Investigations

Department, which had jurisdiction over investigations of homi-cides, robberies and thefts, was one of the security forces blamed most frequently by Guatemalans and human rights organizations for widespread rights abuses.

The suspension of activities of the DIT falls within the reorganization of the security forces, especially the police, to guarantee the security of the Gnatemalans themselves," Mr. Cerezo said Wednesday, referring to the orga-nization by its Spanish acronym. Mr. Cerezo announced that the

secret police agents were rounded up by the Defense Ministry and a national police unit, then taken to a police barracks in Guatemala City. There they were fingerprinted and personal information was reg-

istered, he said. Those who are suspected of crimes will be turned over to the courts for prosecution, Mr. Cerezo said, adding: "Not all the agents of the DIT are criminals."

[Uniformed troops raided the organization's headquarters and took away agents at gunpoint, witnesses told Reuters. The troops disarmed dozens of agents and loaded them into waiting vehicles.
[At first, the Interior Ministry

denied that any policemen had been detained. On Thursday, Mr. Cerezo said the government had tried to keep quiet about the opera-tion so that other agents could be rounded up.]

Mr. Cerezo, a Christian Democrat, promised to make protection of human rights a priority during his five-year term, which began

The president said in the past that elimination of the secret police would be one of his first acts if elected. However, he softened his statements during the campaign and before the inauguration to what political associates said was an effort to ensure that the military would allow him to take office.

During an army campaign against guerrillas in the late 1970s and early 1980s, massacres and burning of villages, along with as-sassinations and disappearances of students, professionals and labor activists to urban areas, were fre-

The army hlamed leftist guerrillas, who had been fighting the government for more than 20 years, for

ple detained there."

Human rights organizations and relatives of people who disap-peared say they believe that securi-

Department was formed during the administration of General Fernando Romeo Lucas García, whose

police, United Press International

Intelligence Agency.
However, Mr. Cerezo said
Wednesday that be had received

I,417 people were killed or have disappeared in 1984, the last year for which figures are available.

The Cypriot tanker Avocet, with 36 crew members on board, was hit in a missile attack in

the Gulf while traveling from Kuwait to Pakistan on Thursday. Four crewmen were killed.



President Ronald Reagan gets a large cake and a kiss from his wife, Nancy, in celebration of his 75th birthday.

New View of 'Old' Americans

Reagan's Vigor Not Atypical of Those Between 65 and 85

By Philip J. Hiles

Washington Past Service
WASHINGTON — President Ronald Reagan, who turned 75 on Thursday, is a prime example of what gerontologists and other researchers say is a growing group in American society, the "young old."

Although his vigor - horse riding and brush clearing at the ranch, pumping iron at the White House - has been viewed by some with a measure of surprise and awe, researchers have found in recent studies that he may not be so unusual, not the rare exception that many have believed.

In Mr. Reagan, the United States has a president four years older than the previous oldest holder of the office, Dwight D. Eisenhower. Selling his budget package at two agencies, Mr. Reagan took time Wednesday to joke about his age.

At the Treasury Department, he said he preferred to think of his birthday as the "36th anniversary of my 39th" birthday. "A few more of these and I'll be just about due for a midlife crisis,"

"In fact, I'm thinking about a career change," Mr. Reagan said. "Drop this political business and see if I can't do something different. like radio or the movies."

Mr. Reagan is clearly one of the young old, those between 65 and 85, most of whom are healthy. In the past, society has characterized older people as senile, weak or sick.
"Old" was synonymous with re-"Old" was synonymous with re-duced physical and mental powers.

The researchers found that the spread of the disease

through nonsexual personal contact has never been

by the disease, which scientists believe is of intravenous drugs or other recognized

documented and is extremely unlikely.

caused by a virus, designated HTLV-3 or modes of infection.

blood, for instance to the sharing of hypoder-

sexual intercourse or direct transfers of sociating with AIDS victims.

In 1952, Alben W. Barkley was a sing to David Arenberg, chief of the well-liked vice president, and he cognition section of the National Institute on Aging.

A prime example of the prejudice that exists about the aged is man as president. But labor leaders of considerable influence in the Democratic Party vetoed Mr. Barkley's candidacy. He was 74 and "too old," they said. But researchers say the meaning

of age must be rethought. Those who are old are mostly not disabled by disease or mental failure. Those who do have disease are not that way because they are old.
Dr. T. Franklin Williams, direc-

tor of the National Institute on Aging, related a story on this point about one of the pioneers in the field of gerontology. The aged re-searcher went to his doctor with a complaint of pain in his right knee. The doctor told him there was nothing to be done: "It's just old

But the eminent patient protested: "My left knee is the same age as my right. Why is it not suffering from old age as well?"
Hearts with no disease, at 40 or

70 years, pump the same. Other physical measures also show that as long as disease does not intervene, physical capability is not impaired. Two-thirds of those at 75 are in good health.

Mental capacity for the old is different than that for the young, hecause while some quickness seems to be lost with age, other powers are gained. The vocabulary and specialized knowledge of a 75year-old is on average larger than \$6,000 a year, and for couples of that of a person in his 20s, according that age, \$10,000 a year.

what happened when the same of "scullity" was changed to "Alz-"senility" was changed to "Alz-heimer's disease." According to Shervert Hughes Frazier Jr., director of the National Institutes of Mental Health, it drastically revised thinking about at least one aspect of aging. Senile is something a person is, but Alzheimer's disease is something one gets and can be treated for.

Like many of the "young old," Mr. Reagan has had a bout with serious disease, cancer. He has a chronic illness to the recurring polyps of the colon and growths on his nose and face.

While chronically ill by the technical definition, he is not disabled. Only about a dozen days per year are "bed disability days" among his age group. About 20 percent have short hospital stays in a year.

If Mr. Reagan's vigor is greater than others among the healthy old-er Americans, it is his good health that he is financially well-to-do that stand out statistically in his

Fewer than 10 percent of the Americans his age, on average, have a college education. Only about 12 percent have jobs, although many own their homes. The median income for men of his age is

Study of Families Finds No 'Casual' Transmission of AIDS

By Eric Eckholm

New York Times Service NEW YORK - The largest and most thorough study of members of the families of AIDS victims in the United States provides "conclusive" evidence that the disease does not spread through close, day-to-day personal contact, according to the leader of the

research team. The study examined in detail the extent to which family members hugged and kissed AIDS victims and shared toothbrushes, drinking glasses, beds, towels and toilets

Together with other evidence, it indicates that the risk of transmitting AIDS, acquired immune deficiency syndrome, through such contact is "virtually nonexistent," said the senior author of the report, Dr. Gerald H. Friedland of the Montefiore Medical Center in the Bronx.

The report, published Wednesday in the New England Journal of Medicine, adds force to the assertions of the federal Centers for Disease Control that the spread of the AIDS virus through nonsexual personal contact has never been documented and is extremely unlikely. The study was conducted in cooperation with the federal agency. In blood tests conducted in the study, only birth. Only a minority of those infected with report, Dr. Merle A. Sande of San Francisco refuse."

she was an infant and almost certainly was

a 5-year-old girl, of 101 people who shared the virus have developed the fatal destruchomes with AIDS patients, showed signs of infection. The child, whose mother had the disease, had suffered related disorders since "This is a strong piece of additional evication."

dence that casual transmission does not ocborn with the infection, doctors concluded. cur," said Dr. Harold Jaffe, chief epidemiol-As of Monday, 17,001 cases of AIDS had ogist of the disease centers' AIDS branch. He been reported in the United States. Half the victims have died, and none has been cured. of the disease had been known to develop the

Technicians Shun Victim's Body The public health commissioner to Washington put on gloves and an apron and helped carry the body of a 25-year-old AIDS victim out of a basement bedroom after medical technicians and police officers refused to handle the corpse, The Associated Press reported, quoting officials.

The commissioner, Andrew D. McBride, described the incident Thursday as "intolerable" and said it "reflects there is a great deal of concern and fear about AIDS" in the nation's capital, which ranks sixth in the Homosexual men and users of intravenously disease except those who became infected by United Statesin incidence of the disease, ministered drugs have been most affected sexual intercourse with a virus carrier, abuse

He said an investigation may lead to action against the technicians who would not carry the body to the medical examiner's AV.

Reports in the past two years that the virus office. Relatives watched over the body for Scientists say the virus has been known to had been isolated in the saliva and tears of almost six hours Monday because the technispread from person to person only through some patients aggravated public fears of as- cians had refused to touch it

In an editorial in the New England Jour-cian to refuse to go out and get a body," Mr. mic needles or from women to babies at nal of Medicine that accompanies the new McBride said. He does not have a right to

Haitian Aides Deny Reports of Duvalier

Refuge Requests (Continued from Page 1) or bombed if they did not join the

A few hours later, the chief

White House spokesman, Larry Speakes, announced that Mr. Du-

Some witnesses said an unsched-

U.S. to Cut Air Force in U.K.

Tite Associated Press

MILDENHALL, England -

The U.S. Air Force plans to with-

draw 24 tactical sircraft and about

1,000 personnel from Britain to the

spring of next year, the 3d U.S. Air Force Headquarters said Thurs-

tracted his statement.

were on board.

Attempt to Flee Diplomats in Haiti said the an-

nouncements by Greece, Spain and lier tried to flee Haiti last week but returned to his palace. Reuters re-According to the reports, Mr.

Duvalier was seen by several people boarding a plane at Port-au-Prince airport late on the night of The Technical Investigations Jan. 30. He was said to have disembarked unnoticed later and to have returned to the palace.

Military Reaction Unknown It was not immediately clear how Guatemala's military, which con-trolled the nation for 32 years before Mr. Cerezo's election, would react to the dissolution of the secret.

Until Mr. Cerezo's inauguration, the military had controlled Guatemain since an elected civilian gov-ernment was overthrown in a 1954 coup backed by the U.S. Central

the full cooperation of the army and the national police in detaining the secret police officers. The U.S. Embassy estimates that

(Continued from Page 1) I heard the president's themes than I did this morning when I saw the blueprint," said Senator Lawton Chiles, Democrat of Florida.

year and last year is the specter of the budget-balancing law, whose main Senate sponsors were Phil Gramm, Republican of Texas; Er-Switzerland gave credence to un-confirmed reports that Mr. Duva-South Carolina; and Mr. Rudman. Many members of Congress say that congressional leaders and the

But the search for an alternative The big difference between this to the president's proposal is made focus public attention on the decar and last year is the specter of more difficult by this year's contains of his proposals. As part of the budget-balancing law, whose gressional elections. The Demoscats to regain control of the Sen-

Republican leaders are hoping to move toward a compromise as that if negotiations fail, automatic president will eventually be forced

Congress Shows Unity on Budget cause they fear the imposition of the automatic cuts called for in the Gramm-Rudman-Hollings legisla-

ocrats want to keep Mr. Reagan's budget alive as long as possible and gressional elections. The Demo-crats must make a net gain of four Committee is planning a series of hearings around the country next week on the president's proposals.

to reach a budget compromise be- cuts in services will go into effect dent's budget proposals.

For the same reason, many Dem-

As part of that strategy, the House Budget Committee is planquickly as possible. They are afraid ming a series of hearings around the country next week on the presi



In South Yemen, the Fear Remains

realized that Mr. Mohammed and his supporters had not been the targets of a coup attempt but rather were trying to climinate political opponents. He said he immediately

valier had fled the country. When Mr. Duvalier emerged in public in Port-au-Prince, Mr. Speakes redeserted the pro-Mohammed uled DC-10 took off late Thursday what became of the Mohammed night, and many Haitians believe some of Mr. Duvalier's possessions supporters rounded up by the government forces. But another People's Militia member, when asked,

Gulf area, reportedly ordered his personal troops to kill his political had, an army brigade commander rivals, including his chief critic, who led an advance on Abyan Abdul Fatah Ismail, at a special province on Jan. 20 against what he

were machine-gunned to death and serving in the 6th Party Congress others, including Mr. Ismail, vanshed and were presumed killed, been commanded by a Mohammed but survivors succeeded io raillying supporter. sufficient armed forces to put down his attempt to seize full control. Mr. Attas, who was abroad at the time, flew to Moscow for consulta-

tions and then returned to South Yemen as provisional president. Details and accounts of the alleged massacres in mid-January continue to emerge. Execution squads are said to have rounded up Mr. Mohammed's opponents, packed them into stilling prison cells and then machine-gunned them as his forces began to lose in

the fighting to Aden.

The fighting in the capital

brought South Yemen, a staunch

Arah ally of the Soviet Union, to the brink of full-scale civil war. In a prison to Jaar, 10 miles north of here, 95 opponents of Mr. Mohammed were killed about 2 A.M. on Jan. 18. The dead included 50 who were gunned down in one cell when Mr. Mohammed's troops fired at them through the windows. according to two of the captives

who survived. The cell still shows evidence of shooting and death, with bloodstains on the floor, freshly patched bullet holes in the walls and window bars riddled with bullets. The med troops then had been taken to forces and returned to his village. authorities said the walls were state security prisons, local jails.

The villager said he did not know patched by Mr. Mohammed's and some schools and detained for forces in an attempt to cover up the

Just outside the walls was what appeared to be a freshly dug mass grave in a small vegetable garden said, "When they realized that Ali grave in a small vegetable garden Nasser had failed, yes, some of the surrounded by a barrier of uparmed elements killed them if they

and them."

Hissein Mohammed Mafari, 12,
Mr. Mohammed, a Marxist who
said be watched from a window of angered hard-line Communists by his nearby house as a bulldozer dug his attempts to improve relations a trench and Mr. Mohammed with conservative Arah states in the gunmen dumped in the bodies. Lieutenant Colonel Abdel Wa-

Polithuro meeting on Jan. 13. described as almost no resistance, Several of Mr. Mohammed's foes Said many victims were soldiers described as almost no resistance

> Colonel Wahad said the commander ordered troops loyal to the

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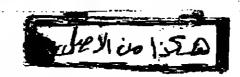
Singel 295, Amsterdam All major credit cards accepted new regime to change to work clothes and report to their jobs in a productivity program in which soldiers are employed in civilian pro-He said that the anti-Mohamfour days without food or water. In the village of Sheikh Salim, about four miles from here, 15 unit

commanders of the army base were murdered, Colonel Wahad said. Accompanying the wave of political murders, officials of the new 3. avenue des Beaux-Arts regime said, was a campaign of plundering that will cripple the lo-cal economy for months to come. MONTE-CARLO



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The Choices for Marcos

The vote that matters most in the Philip-pines today will have been cast by President Marcos. These are his choices: 1) He can permit a genuinely free contest between himself and Corazon Aquino; 2) he can rig the election to assure his own victory; 3) he can rig the results to divide the opposition by making Mrs. Aquino's running mate, Salvador Laurel, vice president: 4) he can cancel the election at the last moment, claiming a need to uphold law and order. The first choice is the only responsible course if Mr. Marcos cares about

his country's future and American support.

President Reagan has properly tried to hold him to the promise of a free and fair vote. Having called the election largely to placate Americans, Mr. Marcos has no grounds for rejecting as meddlesome America's scrutiny and the standards to which it will hold him.

In the campaign itself, Mr. Marcos has already betrayed his promise. He has retained his office despite a constitutional requirement that he resign before a special election. He is rifling the treasury to buy favor with voters and is blatantly coercing support from all those in his debt. Faced with a personable rival who draws exuberant crowds, he has monopolized state-run television. And now comes the insulting final touch: The election will be "supervised" by General Fabian Ver, the Marcos enchman who doubles as chief of staff.

By plunging his soldiers into the electoral process, Mr. Marcos is playing a last, desper-

ate trump. With the military in charge, ballot-stuffing is likely to exceed the usual 20 percent and intimidation is bound to occur beyond the gaze of foreign poll watchers. Only one check remains: wholesale fraud cannot be kept secret from his own people. Mr. Reagan has wisely conditioned his promise of more aid on an election that Filipinos find credible. American observers, led by Senator Richard Lugar, will play a part, but Mr. Marcos's future will depend on the electorate's judgment. If he resorts to trickery of any kind, he can ruin his challengers but without helping himself.

Americans are plainly cheering for Mr. Mar-

cos's defeat. After 20 years of him, the economy is in a tailspin and a Communist insurgen-cy flourishes. Before him, elections were fair if not perfect; every incumbent president was unscated at the polls. Mr. Marcos thought he could forever buy U.S. favor by playing the loyal ally no matter how great the corruption or tyranny. But the basis of that arrangement was convenience. The ailing Mr. Marcos's mis-rule now jeopardizes a shared affection which, more than any treaty, has guaranteed the security of vital American bases.

The Marcos era is near an end. The best finale is, alas, the least likely: an honest vote today, even one won by Mr. Marcos. By calling in General Ver after an already tainted camgn, the president himself shows doubt that he is the people's choice.

— THE NEW YORK TIMES.

A Dangerous Gamble

Few people familiar with Israeli life can be insensitive to Israel's rationale in intercepting a Libyan civilian jet and holding its passengers for the time it took to determine that they were not the top Palestinian terrorists being sought. The rationale is that Israel, to protect itself against terrorists generously encouraged by its enemies, cannot afford to be the one party that respects the niceties of the law. The possibility of plucking an Abu Nidal from a plane flying from Libya, one sponsor and sanctuary of terrorism, to Syria, another, apparently danced before Israeli eyes. That the plane was returning from a conference that had ended in public threats to dispatch suicide squads against American interests might have seemed an additional and useful political cover.

It remains, however, that Israel may pay a heavy price for the mission. This has little to do with the general international tut-tutting and even less to do with the criticism that Israel is receiving at the United Nations and elsewhere from those who themselves practice or condone terrorism against Israel.

No country has a greater physical and psy-chological need to maintain freedom of the airways than beleaguered Israel. Yet it comunitted an act of piracy that will inevitably strain further the presumption of safety on which its own civilian air travel depends. Moreover, the Israelis, with their desperate

need for diligent international cooperation against terrorism, have weakened their case for asking others to provide it. Thus have they given a boost to a form of violence of which

Israel itself is the leading victim.

It is observed that had the Israelis captured someone like Abu Nidal, they would now be saluted as heroes in the war against terrorism. That might have been adequate compensation for the Israeli government or large parts of the public, but it is compensation that is not available: The operation failed. Anyway, nothing in the Israeli-Palestinian record indicates that even a counterterrorist coup of great magni-tude would actually crimp Palestinian terrorism. That menace flows from a widely felt political grievance. While this or that violent expression can and must be combated, the grievance has a life of its own and can only be treated, finally, by political means.

The United States, after the hijacking of the Achille Lauro, also intercepted a civilian airliner thought to be carrying terrorists. It did so on the basis of superior intelligence and in the immediate circumstances of a specific incident. The recollection of that episode and perhaps the intention to keep the option open restrained official American comment on the Israeli intercept. But this is tricky terrain. The Israelis stumbled badly.

-THE WASHINGTON POST.

Israel had no legal right to intercept a Liby-an jet in international air space, but it had ample good reason: the desire to bring to justice those who terrorize air and sea travelers the world over. The United States seems to have played no part in the episode, but it nonetheless bears some responsibility for it. Its intercept of an Egyptian airliner to capture the hijackers of the Achille Lauro last October clearly inspired this type of defense - which stands exposed as a high-risk defense. What if the Libyan pilot had refused to follow Israel's fighters to home base? What if Libya retaliates by harassing civilian airliners?

It is a defense beset by paradox: a violation of international law in hope of defending that law. As Abba Eban said, if Israel had caught its man and proved him guilty of terrorism, the world would have checred; in failure, opinions dwell on Israel's lawlessness.

The State Department's comment, too, revealed understandable confusion. As a matter of "general principle," it said, America opposes the interception of civilian aircraft: but in "very narrow counterterrorism cases, such

measures can be justified." Since one nation's terrorist is another's freedom fighter, it solves nothing to leave the definition of permissible targets to every sovereignty. Clearly, new in-ternational standards and legal precepts are needed to repair inadequacies in the old.

Why are Americans and Israelis willing to jeopardize civilian travel in the name of protecting it? Because nations like Libya and Iran refuse to punish or extradite murderous hickers. And because even friendly nations like Italy, Egypt and Yugoslavia would rather give suspected terrorists safe passage than risk the political inconvenience of cooperating in their capture. And because allies like West Germany and France refuse to burden their commerce and diplomacy with efforts to isolate nations that protect terrorists.

Air intercepts can easily get out of hand. But terrorism abetted by the world's inaction is already out of hand. Civilized governments must choose: either agree to firm nonviolent sanctions against nations that shelter terrorists, or yield to anarchy in the skies.

- THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Other Opinion

The Law Is the Same for All

When Israeli fighters forced a Lebenese airliner to land in Israel in 1973, in the mistaken belief that the head of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine, George Habash, was aboard, the U.S. ambassador to the United Nations declared in the Security Council: There must be no double standards; the law must be the same for all." The same applies to

the hijacking of a Libyan civilian plane Tuesday. If we begin to bend the law with respect to interceptions of planes, we will end up in the position of justifying terrorism. Those who fight the lawlessness of terrorism must accept the fact that they cannot match the terrorists in their choice of means. If they come close to adopting the methods used by the other side, they undermine their own justification.

- Frankfurter Allgemeine (Frankfurt).

FROM OUR FEB. 7 PAGES, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1911: Voters With a Sense of Humor PARIS -Scandalized by one of their number, a street-hawker, the Municipal Councillors of Le Puy are about to hand in their resignations. The street-hawker, Louis Régis Rome, gained a living by selling pencils and note-paper in the streets until he became a candidate for and was elected to the Municipal Council. In his programme be advocated the reduction of the price of wine to twenty centimes a litre, and promised to urge the erection of free nightshelters for such inebriate citizens as might be unable or afraid to return to their homes until they were able to sober up a little. He further demanded the installation of a mechanical piano in the municipal night-shelter and promised to vote for "the suppression as much as possible of all work between meal times."

1936: Hitler Opens Winter Olympics GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN - Before the assembled competitors in the snow and ice contests, representing fifteen countries, and more than 30,000 spectators, Chancellor Adolf Hitler solemnly pronounced the Olympic Games of 1936 open here [on Feb. 6]. The formal inauguration was followed by the play-ing of the Olympic hymn by massed bands on the mountainside which towers over the small Bavarian village. The competitors then took the Olympic oath, while the torch which will burn continuously as long as the Games last was lit to the playing of the German national anthem. The Games began afterwards with the ice-hockey tournament. In his speech Hitler expressed a wish that the Games should be "a peaceful festival for all the nations."

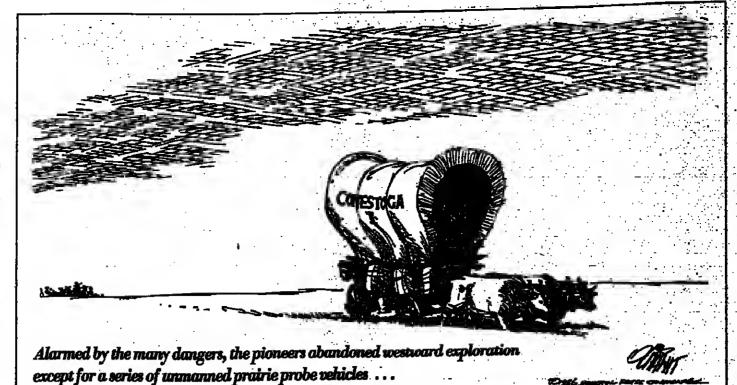
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Intervention Against Dictators Is a Proper Policy

By Charles Krauthammer

WASHINGTON — It is fitting that a Philippine election called by George Will should end in an orgy of American meddling. It was, you will recall, in response to a question from that American pundit in a live television interview that President Ferdinand Marcos unexpectedly announced a snap election.

Since then the U.S. Congress, the Reagan administration and the American media have been unrelenting in their efforts to influence the outcome of the election. By that they mean (1) to make it fair and (2) to defeat Mr. Marcos, (1) and (2) being taken, by most, to be the same thing. Nothing covert to this operation. Evidence buried for 40 years sudden-ly surfaces on Page I that Mr. Marcos fabricated his history as an anti-Japa-nese guerrilla in World War II, a

myth around which his entire persona is built. It becomes a major campaign issue for Corazon Aquino. Administration officials then make it clear through private (!) conversa-tions with a New York Times correspondent that they want Mr. Marcos removed from office. The hope would seem to be that God, if not the elec-

toral process, will issue the recall. At the same time, a House subcommittee holds hearings on massive Marcos holdings in the United States. Imelda Marcos owns real estate in New York worth, it seems, \$350 million. The hearings, previously closed, are opened in January. The ection is on Feb. 7.

And then comes a former foreign minister of the Philippines, Raul Manglapus, to urge more American meddling. The election monitoring team led by Senator Richard Lugar, he says, should not just stand around a few polling places to rubber-stamp the election. It should intervene with the military, with the media, with the Marcos party apparatus to ensure a clean election Interventionism? So what, says

Mr. Manglapus, America intervenes all over the place. Why not here? Precisely. Notice how few people, American or Filipino, seem bothered nal affairs of other countries." And rightly so. In friendly countries ruled by dictators, it should be the policy of the United States to meddle on behalf of a "third force," a democratic alternative to a pro-American despot on the one hand and to Communist

insurgents on the other.
In such countries, "third force" politics should be the theme of U.S. diplomacy. With one proviso: The democratic center must exist, and not just in the imagination of Americans. The caveat is important. If there truly is no center, as was the case in Iran at the time of the shah's overthrow, supporting a nonexistent center means having a nonexistent policy. It almost

having a nonexistent poncy. It annous certainly means dealing America out and destroying its friends.

The Philippines has a third force, an enormously vibrant center now clustered around Mrs. Aquino. In El Salvador the center, clustered around

BOSTON — When the news came, we were in a ramshackle

bar on the edge of a beach that might have posed for the travel posters that entice you to "Get Away From It All." We had chosen

that Caribbean island deliberately,

to really vacate, to leave more than the weather behind us, to peel off the anxious layers of daily life along

with our boots and gloves.
Instantly, the radio news

changed all that. Our heads were

home or at least in Cape Canaveral.

We felt as inappropriately dressed in our bathing suits as a garish

We sat in this odd mourning garb

and listened, feeling simply out of

place. Later on, several locals who

knew we were Americans asked if we had heard about "the tragedy." Within hours, everyone on the is-

land, and surely someone in every country on Earth, knew.

The travel poster, you see, was out of date. There is no "away from it all" anymore. The same tools that

let us keep in touch with people in

another country, with work in an-

other hemisphere, with events on

another continent, also make it im-

I remembered then how every

astronaut who has circled the plan-

et comes home to report that he or she has seen no borders, no fron-

tiers, no fences. There are no neatly

colored countries from the perspec-

The astronauts' image has pro-vided a powerful counter-message

for those of us who grew up memo-

rizing maps as if they had some

intrinsic meaning, instead of being

tive of onter space. Earth is one.

possible to disconnect.

visitor to a funeral.

In Chile, too, the Reagan administration is cantiously but resolutely pursuing a "third force" policy. The U.S. ambassador has been openly sympathetic to the democratic opposition. The U.S. State Department has warmly supported the "national accord" signed by a range of political parties representing 80 percent of the electorate and calling for a return to democracy. Dictator Augusto Pinochet is not amused. He complains that the United States is violating the principles of sovereignty. And so it is. Mr. Marcos, no doubt, has the

same complaint. And one can find a few Americans to agree with him. Conservative columnist Robert No-

President José Napoleon Duarte, is vak, for example. A supporter of less solid, but solid enough, with American intervention in places like strong U.S. backing, to sustain Mr. Nicaragua, Angola, Afghanistan and Cambodia, Mr. Novak is shocked shocked! - to find interference-inthe-internal-affairs-of-other-coun-

tries going on in the Philippines.

Hypocrisy about meddling is a two-party game. Liberals profess to be appalled by one or the other of Mr. Novak's favorite anti-Communist interventions, but when it comes to the Philippines, sovereignty loses some of its secredness. Liberals who say the United States has no right to dictate who should rule in Managua are leading the charge in Manila orchestrating for example, the House hearings, a transparent election-eve discrediting campaign.

I am all for the hearings, I am all

and his kleptocracy. I am all for intervention. What I fail to see is why the sovereignty of a distatorship of one ideological color may be violated, but

not that of another.

In other words, I don't see how semi-interventionists can hope to get away with it. Left and right have their pet interventions, but, when dealing with despots more to their liking, they are suddenly stricken with high-right and a beaut committee and mindedness about noninterference. Why not come clean and admit this principle: that out of strategic and moral necessity the United States should and will intervene in the world to promote democracy wherever it can end when it can do so without unhearable cost or risk.

It has started to face its responsi-bilities in the Philippines. Other democcass around the world have the right to ask: Why not here, too?

that the administration ceased stand-

U.S. Pressure for Rights Is Stronger

ONDON — To look back over the L five years of Ronald Reagan's presidency is to see a steady transfor-mation in attitudes. While by no means a convert to an aggressive human rights posture, Mr. Reagan has reacted to concern among Americans about whom Washington deals with. In the last few months regimes as varied as those of the Philippines, Uganda, South Africa, Chile and now Haiti have felt serious pressure from the Reagan administration.

No Man's Island Is 'Away From It All'

By Ellen Goodman

what they are: records of power struggles and national pride. From

above, astronauts have seen the

So, too, the news of seven space deaths followed the path of that unity, traveling across borders, bouncing off satellites, landing with

utter disregard for any national frontier. This, the ability to com-

municate anywhere, instantly, is

what makes the astronaut vision

real. It is what pulls the world to-

gether and makes an anachronism

of our small-minded maps.

My husband and I were not the

only ones who felt out of place that

Tuesday —or, rather, in two places. Most of us live double lives. One is

on the turf below our feet, the other

is in the space created of phones

and radios, television and comput-

ers. One is in our own yard, city,

This double life is not entirely

unique to our time or our techno-

logy. In the history book of the

Caribbean islands that I brought to

that white sand beach, the 17th cen-

tury reads like a Restoration come-

dy. Madcap Europeans sailed in one port and out the other, claiming

25-million-year-old volcanic is

lands for the crown. Pirates, priva-

teers, navies sent the flags of Spain, France, Holland and England up and down the poles of one island fort after another. Not even 17th

century settlers could get away

from it all. They lived both on an

But in those days news traveled

state; the other is in the world.

natural, and the possible, unity.

ing up for Jean-Claude Duvalier. Now, though, it is so anxious to get rid of him that it announces his decided to use Human Rights Day to make what was, by his past stan-dards, a strong attack on the records of South Africa, the Philippines and Chile. Still, he spoke of the repression of the Turkish minority in Bulgaria without mentioning the Kurdish minority in Turkey, and he condemned the destruction of Bibles in Romania

Victory at the Polls Is Merely a Start

T HE fundamental political and social problems of the Philippines cannot be cured until there is a vast economic improvement. This would involve not only a significant increase in economic activity but also a more equitable distribution of income and a more responsible contribution by the wealthy minority to the national well-being. If Corazon Aquino wins the election, she could presumably count on much of the Filipino business community, the hierarchy of the Roman Catholic Church and the professional cadres of the armed forces. But it would not be enough. She would require external help as well, especially from the United States and Japan.

Very few additional economic resources can be generated in the Philippines

in current circumstances. An improvement at economic levels would mean an increase in assets from abroad. The Philippines already owes about \$35 billion - 527 billion of it to commercial banks in the United States, Japan and Europe. It cannot earn enough now to service those loans and to pay for more.

- William H. Sullivan, a former U.S. ambassador to the Philippines (1973 to 1977), writing in the Los Angeles Times.

Once You Have a Client, He Has You

ONCE you have got a client, he has got you, too, in a very uncomfortable way. The hardest sort of client to get rid of is one with blood on his hands. Samuel Doe [in Liberia] and Jerry Rawlings [in Ghana] had their predecessors shot on the beaches. Ferdinand Marcos has reinstated as head of his army his former chauffeur who, almost everybody believes, was an accomplice to the murder of Mr. Marcos's most popular political rival.

Killer puppets cling to office largely because the presidential guard keeps them alive; they fear elections that might bring to office the widows, daughters and party colleagues of the men they have done to death. The only aid (or "rent for a base") that should be given to people like Mr. Marcos is a one-way ticket to an anti-assassin-guarded holiday retreat, so that the vicious cycles of revenge killings can be stopped.

- From an editorial in the Dec. 7 issue of The Economist (London).

only as fast as a ship. It was some-times a year before the enemies fighting in the Caribbean would

hear that they were now allies. With hear that they were now annea. While ittile ceremony and less reason, they would turn their sums against new enemies who might already have become allies at some distant

European treaty table.

Now news moves faster than any human. The information gap is as brief as a transcontinental echo. We

can "hook up" people in Manila and Tripoli and Johannesburg for a

chat in a television studio in Washington. We can send word and pic-

tures of a space tragedy to every

draw people together, enhancing the sense and the capacity for one-

ness. Yet the images and the news they bring are often those of con-

flict. Nations go on raising flags,

I don't know if some future gen-

cration will consider our own con-

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played out in the 17th century Ca-

ribbean. It is easy to see the absur-

dity in old conflicts. The difference

today is that we have missiles that

also unify the Earth with the single

We live today with both the lofty

possibility of one world without

boundaries and the deadly image of

a worldwide wasteland. Yet our

leaders are neither hopeful enough

nor frightened enough. They are

stuck in the 17th century, making

maps as if we had not already tran-

scended them. No, there is no way

to "get away from it all" anymore.

Washington Post Writers Group.

threat of extinction.

All these lines of communication

remote spot on the globe.

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of Haiti, it was not until December

By Jonathan Power ne Reagan administration.

On Dec. 10 President Reagan decatechists in Guatemala. In the case

parture before it happens.

In the case of Chile, the Reagan administration abstained last February in votes to approve loans from the World Bank, the International Monetary Fund and the Inter-American Development Bank. That appears to have been instrumental in persuading the regime of Augusto Pinochet to lift its state of siege. But as soon as this was done the loans were approved,

> ever. The lifting of the state of siege has been little more than cosmetic. In the case of South Korea, the administration did respond to the abrupt decision of the government of

period of liberalization. The State portional system of allotting seats. Department publicly condemned the torture of student leaders and refused to allow South Korean police to enter the U.S. Embassy to arrest students. But the embassy took the govern-ment's side in criticizing the U.S. delegation that accompanied opposition leader Kim Dae Jung on his return last February to his hearth and specific process of prime manister.

For campaign reasons intended to sharpen the choice, the various groups have already to be a prime manister. last February to his homeland.

even though torture and denials of individual rights are as extensive as

Department has argued behind the scenes that it was no accident that the evident solution. This is regrettable lifting of martial law on Dec. 30 coincided with negotiations for a hefty \$6.5-billion aid package.

And, of course, the Reagan administration has finally started to be consistently tough with the Marcos re-gime in the Philippines. It has been showing its muscle at a critical time when the life of the regime hangs in the balance. Last week President Reagan said the United States would consider "significantly larger" eco-nomic and military aid for the Philippines if the forthcoming elections were "credible" and the winner undertook "fundamental economic, po-litical and military reforms." This is sharp talking by any standards.

Even if there is still no tight con-

nection between U.S. aid policies and the longevity of a Third World gov-ernment, Mr. Reagan's Philippine and Haitian interventions suggest that he is becoming more activist and aware about human rights as an issue.

He now appears to be realizing that the pro-U.S. stance of a regime is not enough to qualify it as a friend of America. To be viable over the long run, be seems to be saying, a govern-ment must have the willing support of its people. This is a change.

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The French In No Mood For a Crisis

By Flora Lewis

P ARIS — With scarcely five weeks
In go before crucial French legis
lative elections on March 16, there
has been an unforcesed and revealing

has been an unforced and revealing change of tone in the campaign.

For months, the politicians have been exchanging finite inventive and predicting disaster if the voters don't support this or that side. Now, when the campaign might have been eighted to reach a climax of frunty, the politicians are harding many forms. the politicians are beeking away from their dire predictions of constit al crisis and paralysis of government It obviously is not by happen-stance. The politicians who have long been performing before a fairly insig-tentive electorate seem finally to have listened to the voters' quiet message.

listened to the voters' quiet message. People went some change but not a crism. They do not went high political melodrams, and winever is perceived to be responsible for creating it is likely to pay at the polit.

So now the emphasis at the highings is on the sobes, sensible west in which each leader promises to deal with the inectably sticky constitutional situation looming.

This goes against nature for the politicians. Their instinctive for proach to a campaign is to exagging

politicians. These masses of proach to a campaign is to exaggerate, draw that allowed their publics of battle and mobilize their publics of battle and mobilize their publics of battle and mobilize their publics. lic. But there is a shrewd, general being counterproductive this time, and the competition has unned into

rying to capture the screnity vote.

The central problem lies in the assignities of the Fifth Republic's constitution. It was personally inflored for the late Charles de Gaulle, providing vast power for the president viding vast power for the president on condition that he had a rubberstamp National Assembly, Somer or later the time was bound to come when the president lost control of the assembly. It is surprising that it has never happened, but now it seems certain to be just ahead.

President François Mitterrand's term will continue nonetheless mith the spring of 1988, and he has made, absolutely clear that he means to serve it out regardless of whether the voters give opposition deputies a majority in the new assembly.

The French have given the peculiar name of "cohabitation" to this situation, without exploring the psychological undertones of referring to a divided government in this way. But the implication that there will be no marriage of convenience, that inescapable partnership will in no way inhibit rivalries and jockeying for position in the 1988 presidential race

All the leading presidential hope-fuls are familiar, they have been on the scene a long time. There are no new faces, no problems of establishing recognition. The suspense rides entirely on the arithmetic of the returns, especially hard to predict this year because the electoral system hat, been changed from two rounds in single-member constituencies to a Chun Doo Hwan in 1985 to end a one-round vote on hists with a pro-

The very strong probability is that parties on the right will control the National Assembly and oblige th Socialist president to name one of their leaders as prime minister.

that will constrict their room to ma-In the case of Pakistan, the State neuver into coalitions, if the arithmetic is indecisive and makes that the although politicians can always find ways to back down on a promise in the name of necessity.
In any case, Mr. Mitterrand has to

face sharing power with a defiant prime minister. That means France is likely to be more than ever difficult to deal with on the international scene in the next two years. It could be a period of disastrous

feuding and posturing as Socialist and conservative leaders vie for the appearance of primacy.

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right, although probably not so brusquely as the campaigners pre-tend, because in the last three and a half years the Socialists have come off their initial ideological binge and have worked hard on pragmatism. But it can also turn out that a divided French government will be prudent, shying from a hurch to insta-

the big contest for power in 1985.

That seems to be the electorate's wish, and the politicians are having to subdue their combative reflexes to appear responsive. There may be no crisis. The Fifth Republic is turning out sturdier, more deeply rooted, than its constitutional flaw in distributing power made foreseeable.

The New York Times,

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Maronites Defended

I am a Lebanese and a Maronite. I do not approve of the Maronite role in the war in Lebanon, but G.H. Jansen's remark (in "Time Is Running Out for Spria to Tidy Up Lebanon," Feb. 4) that "it is difficult to resist the conclusion that the trouble with Lebanon is, and always has been, the Maronites" is unacceptable.

Mr. Jansen goes on to describe the record of the seven Maronite presidents of Lebanon. If one were to use the same negative approach, one could draw a similarly unfair caricature of several presidents of the United States and conclude that the transed States and conclude that the trouble with the United States is, and always has been, the Protestants. MYRNA BUSTANL

London.

More Budget Absurdities

It is standard political practice. when government departments face "budget slashing," for them to cut essential rather than superfluous functions and services. This produces

an immediate and loud public how of protest. The department then is-sues a basic "can't do the work without the money" statement, and thege cuts more essential services. The horse becomes a roar. Budgets are quickly reinstated and the more audicious department heads demand and get higher appropriations than before for returning to original output levels.

Hobart Rowen, in "Now for the Gramm-Rambo Show in Washing-VIC COMPTON.

Equencheville, France.

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THE NIKKO PERSPECTIVE

Constitutes Healthy Development of the Tokyo Capital Market

WHAT DEVELOPMENTS during the past year will have the greatest effect on the Tokyo capital market in 1986 and beyond?

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Kanzaki: The two most obvious are the internationalization of the yen and deregulation.

To understand the background for the growing role of the yen, a person needs only to track two numbers: nominal gross national product and personal financial assets. Japan has become a global economic power generating an enormous excess of savings.

According to figures compiled by Nikko Research Center, personal financial assets, at ¥528 trillion, have grown 13.5% annually since 1975, compared to nominal GNP growth of 8.1%.

In reality, there is little chance of the gap narrowing. For that to happen, savings would need to stop or growth in GNP to accelerate to a high rate. The structure of the Japanese economy and fiscal policy make it difficult for the domestic economy to absorb this high level of savings.

The surplus must go somewhere, and therefore Japan is becoming a capital ex-

Some measures exist on just how far the yen must go to become a truly international currency. For example, Japan's share of world trade is 8.5%, compared with 9,0% for the Pederals Republic of Germany But the deutsche mark accounts for 12% of the reserves of central banks, compared with only 5.2% for the yen.

As the internationalization of the yenprogresses, there will be no turning back. And I think deregulation is also an irreversible trend.

WHAT DOES this trend toward deregulation mean for the development of capital markets in Japan? And what does it mean for your business?

Kanzaki: All of us in the industry joke that deregulation is not necessarily good. It is much easier to operate in a highly regulated environment with minimal competition. However, I will let a previous generation write about the joys of no competition. My job is to devise competitive advantages for Nikko in a highly fluid environment.

To respond to your question on deregulation, I will make two points about the state of Japan's capital market.

First, the process of removing restrictions on the long-term capital market has been fast and smooth. There is still room for improvement, but I think Japan has a free and open market. It is also a sizable market, approximately a third the size of the one in the United States.

Second, the area needing the most change is the short-term capital market or money market. An active, broad-based market for short-term government securities is essential to the overall development of the capital market. For example, the daily trading volume in short-term government securities is not that much lower than in the United States. Thus, there are appearances of a market:

But reality is in striking contrast with the level of these securities outstanding, with Japan having only a small fraction outstanding of what the United States reports. This means that in Japan, the whole amount outstanding was turning over every several days.

The lack of a treasury bill market in Japan is the principal reason why the yen is not being used more widely as a reserve currency. Even so, the role of the yen as a reserve currency is increasing at a fast pace.



Yasuo Kanzaki

Promoted to senior managing director and the head of Nikko's international operations in November 1985, Yasuo Kanzaki has spent 30 years with Nikko Securities in both domestic and international positions.

HOW QUICKLY do you foresee the development of a broader money market?

Kanzaki: I do not anticipate any major changes this year, but the environment for change is improving.

The biggest obstacle is the regulation of interest rates. Step by step, the rates of large deposits have been liberalized and the range of maturities increased. But we still lack the full selection of instruments and the flexibility in interest rates directly necessary for the development of a money market and equally important for the overall development of a vigorous capital market.

WHAT INFLUENCE will the admission of six non-Japanese securities companies to membership in the Tokyo Stock Exchange have on the Tokyo capital market? And what could be the effect of an offshore market?

Kanzaki: I believe that more competition helps increase the size of the pie rather than just cut it into smaller pieces. I therefore welcome more participants in the market.

I do not think the six new members are looking solely at the benefits of handling their own trading in Japanese securities. I think they see Tokyo—as we do New York

and London—as one of the three essential links in a global trading system. When the markets close in New York and on the West Coast of the United States, they can trade U.S. securities here in Tokyo. As more American and European companies list in Tokyo, the opportunities for trading global equities in Tokyo will grow.

The question of the offshore market is linked to the point I was just making. I think an offshore market will have the effect of bringing more financial experts to Tokyo. The ideas they will generate will not be restricted to the offshore market, and these ideas will find their way into the domestic financial system. The result will be new products and participants and ultimately a bigger pie.

YOU MENTIONED global equities. In 1985, Japanese individuals, and some institutions, were active in buying foreign equities. What is the background of this sudden surge in interest?

Kanzaki: I already mentioned the growth and diversification of financial assets, but that by itself is not an explanation.

I believe many individuals in Japan are becoming more sophisticated in making investment decisions. They see that economic expansion in Japan is slowing and realize they must look elsewhere for investment opportunities.

They started by learning in the bond market, from the interest rate differentials. They discovered that Japanese equities are selling at higher multiples on earnings than stocks in the United States. They also saw the higher yields on American shares. Their conclusion is that they should be looking globally for bargains. And they have also been encouraged by changes in the tax treatment of foreign dividends.

OVER THE past six months, net portfolio investment in overseas securities was more than \$30 billion, and daily trading of foreign shares listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange has been increasing rapidly, and more foreign companies are listing in Tokyo. Do you think the recent growth was healthy, and will it continue?

Kanzaki: I most definitely believe it is healthy and will continue. Compared with the past, Japanese investors are better informed. They have followed the effect of the oil crises. And they have been educated to the financial revolution occurring around the world.

The trend in recent months is revealing. Investors began showing serious interest in foreign equities in May 1985 and buying grew. Then came the G5 meeting and the drop in the dollar. Many investors immediately had paper losses. The experience of similar situations in the past would lead us to conclude that investor interest would sour. That has not been the case, and buying is increasing again—even with a consensus among experts that the yen will continue to appreciate.

In fact, in recent months, more than half the stock transactions in some Tokyo branches of Nikko Securities have been foreign equities. We have quickly had to internationalize our entire operations. All our sales representatives must be able to explain foreign equities because clients are bound to ask about them—even if we do not make recommendations.

I am also proud to say that we accounted for a third of the trading on the foreign section of the TSE in recent months. I believe this points to our traditional strength in equities and our ability to respond quickly—with good information—to investor interest.

I will make a final point on the investments by individuals in overseas securities. Many analysts frequently point to the 49% share of trading on the TSE accounted for by individuals—who own only 26%—and conclude that Japanese individuals are short-term investors. This conclusion is wrong because that figure is the mean and not the median. Most individuals invest for the long range. They buy and hold. A small group of individuals—the semiprofessionals—are active traders and therefore skew the figures.

HOW DOES the bond market fit into the overall picture of the Tokyo capital

Kanzaki: In recent years, there has been gradual deregulation of both yen-denominated and foreign currency-denominated bond offerings in Japan by foreign entities. Potential issuers now have more options, and the list of entities eligible to issue here is growing and will continue to lengthen.

Needless to say, a healthy bond market is important for Japan to function effectively as a capital exporter and Tokyo as an international money center, assuming its proper place in the world of 24-hour trading.

ALONG WITH your recent promotion to senior managing director, you became head of Nikko's international operations. What priorities have you set?

Kanzaki: The constant priority at Nikko—and a continual theme of Mr. Umemura, our president—is response to client needs.

This translates into several concrete priorities for me. For instance, the total trading in foreign fixed income securities last year was \$346 billion, most of which was U.S. Treasury securities. To serve our clients better, we are anxious to become a primary dealer for the U.S. government. Another example is in how we structure our operations to serve clients in the Euromarket.

A second priority is to broaden the selection of securities our representatives abroad can offer. Our traditional strength has been in marketing Japanese equities, and it is frequently difficult to swap one proven pattern of success in sales for another.

Another task that has been assigned to me is the development of international capabilities throughout our domestic organization. It means we will have to rotate experts within Nikko—even from country to country—and recruit new talent as necessary.

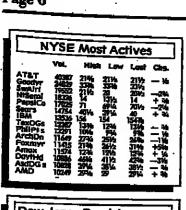
There is no lack of things to do in a fastpaced market where the constant feeling is one of running to catch up even when you are confident of being among the leaders.



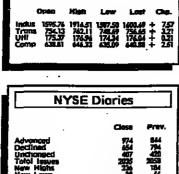
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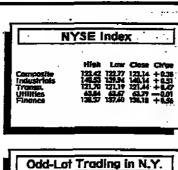
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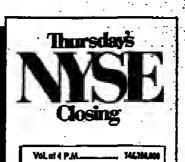
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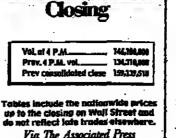


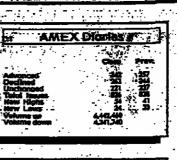
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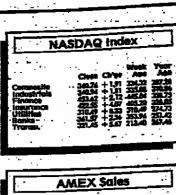


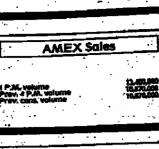


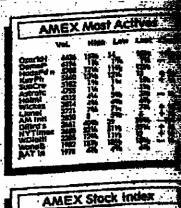




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Dow Closes Above 1,600 Level

NEW YORK — The Dow Jones industrial average closed above 1,600 Thursday for the first time ever on a continuing wave of bullish

investor sentiment:

The Dow, which lost 0.11 Wednesday, rose
7.57 points, to 1,600.69, surpassing the previous
high of 1,594.27 set Monday.

The index closed over 1,300 for the first time
last May and climbed through 1,400 and then
1,500 in November and December. Most of the
advance has been due to falling interest rates,
but falling and prices have driven the latest rise. New York Stock Exchange composite index rose 0.38, to 123.14, and the price of an average share gained 12 cents. Advancing issues on the New York Stock Exchange outpaced losers 973 to 652 among the 2,031 issues traded.

Big Board volume expanded to 146.1 million shares from 134.3 million on Wednesday.

Analysts said the market's strong performance was unexpected and due mainly to the

lack of a concrete correction. "It is definitely a surprise," said Hugh Johnson, head of the investment policy committee of First Albany Corp. "Most of the background music is not that encouraging."

Mr. Johnson said the bond market is strug-

gling with the Treasury refunding, the govern-ment wants to do some belt-tightening in fiscal 1987 and the Federal Reserve Board wants to

lower monetary growth.

"All three of those things are generally bad for the stock market," he said. "However, a lot

M-1 Rises \$2.7 Billion

NEW YORK — The basic measure of the U.S. money supply, M-1, rose \$2.7 billion in the week ended Jan. 27, the Federal Reserve Bank of New York said Thursday. The rise

was slightly higher than expectations.

The Fed reported that M-1, which measures cash in circulation, checking accounts and nonbank travellers checks, rose to a seasonally adjusted \$628.6 billion in the week from a revised \$625.9 billion in the previous week. The four-week moving average of M-1 rose to \$626.6 billion from \$625.5 billion, it said.

of traders in the market have a more optimistic view concerning economic growth and corpo-

AT&T was the most active NYSE-listed issue, down 1/2 to 21%. Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. followed, unchanged at 33%, and Southwest Airlines was third, off 21/2 to 20%.

Most of the major oil issues were stronger. Chevron was up ¼ to 34½, Exxon was up ¾ to 49½, Texaco was down ¾ to 26¾, Pennzoil was down 1% to 62%, Mobil gained % to 28%, Atlantic Richfield was ahead % to 51%, Sohio was up % to 45% and Occidental Petrole

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The English Disease? Literary Biographers Hear From a Fury

by Brenda Maddox

ONDON — The Victorian novelist George Eliot once declared: "Biog-

George Eliot once declared: "Biography is generally a disease of English literature."

True or false? English biographers swarmed into Royal Festival Hall last week for the Folio Society's black-tie debate on the proposition. Blessing or curse, their species was clearly in no danger of extinction.

A few of those present had published on non-literary subjects, like Roy Jenkins, the Social Democratic member of Parliament and biographer of Asquith, the Liberal leader and World War I prime minister. But the majority represented the subspecies under attack: writers who write about writers.

attack: writers who write about writers.

At the top table near the television cameras were Margaret Drabble (Arnold Bennett), her husband, Michael Holroyd (Lytton Strachey and George Bernard Shaw) and Bel Mooney (George Eliot). Also conspicuous were Peter Ackroyd (T. S. Eliot), Michael Meyer (Strindberg) and Selina Hastings (Nancy Mitford), to name but a very few.

The air rang with cries of "Who are you doing now?" Sheridan Morley revealed himself to have completed David Niven. Derek

Palmer, a historian of astrology and a prolif-ic author whose works include a life of By-ron, regretted that he had not the time to do Queen Elizabeth I's astrologer. (The papers are lying in Trinity College, Cambridge, awaiting only the expert in astrology and English history conversant with Latin and Elizabethan handwriting to bring them to

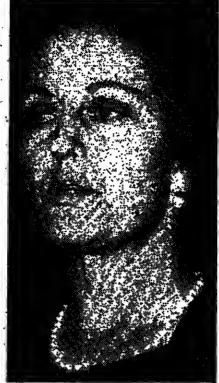
But literary biography, which André Mau-rois called "the Anglo-Saxon genre," has been much criticized. To some, it offends by unearthing the secrets of those who wanted them left hidden. Tu others, it deflects atten-

tion from a writer's work.

Leading the attack was Germaine Greer, author of "The Female Ennuch," whose only "life" has been her own. She called literary biographers parasites, feeding the public "deprayed appetite for predigested carrion."

"Human beings have an inalienable right to invent themselves," she said. To write a life "while the victim is conscious is an unpardonable violation of self-bood."

"It has been done to Isherwood," she said.
"It has been done to Beckett. It has been done to me!" (Twice, it seems. A Greer houseguest turned his three-month stay into a chapter in a book entitled "Difficult Women"; Greer's former husband wrote a mem-



Germaine Greet

oir of her for which he was offered 20 times as much as she had received for writing "The

In top form ("If Shakespeare had had a Continued on page 9

In Search of Dance History

by Anna Kisselgoff

EW YORK - Dance history is in poor shape in the United States. One has yet to see an American equivalent of the rich and detailed four-volume history of Russian ballet - from its beginnings through the early 20th century — that has been written by the contemporary Soviet ballet historian, Vera Krassovska. Another admirable example is the thorough dissertation on court ballet in France (1581-1643), published in French in 1963 by the British dance historian Margaret McGowan.

The catch is that such books have yet to appear in English. There has been talk of translating Krassovska's books. In the meantime, she is completing another four-volume history in Leningrad. This one is entitled "Western European Ballet Theater" and the first three volumes, up through the pre-Romantic, are already available in the West, if only to those of us who can read Russian. It is odd if less limiting that we also need to know French to read McGowan's book, although she was affiliated with the University of Glasgow when she wrote her dissertation for the University of Paris.

Another telling example in this vein is that one of the very few books by an American that is on a comparably scholarly level is also written in French. This happens to be "Les Ballets de Théophile Gautier" (1965) by Edwin Binney 3d, a Harvard alumnus who did his original research in Russia and France before completing his 439-page book on the creator of "Giselle."

Paris is apparently a place where dance historians feel at home. Marian Hannah Winter, who died a few years ago, was an American dance historian who spent her last years in the French capital. One of her books, "The Theater of the Marvels," was published in French alongside a slightly different American edition.

Winter and Lincoln Kirstein are in fact the foremost names in U.S. dance history. Kirstein's survey of theatrical dancing was a pioneering work in the 1930s, and his book on Nijinsky is unequaled in brilliance of insight. Nonetheless, one can look upon the Kirstein books - especially his informal selection of history's 50 most important bal-lets in "Movement and Metaphor" — as analytical or polemical studies. Winter, whom Kirstein invited to write for his defunct magazine Dance Index in the 1940s. rended more toward archival research.

Nunetheless, what Americans tend to write as dance history are really studies in dance aesthetics, memoirs and biographies. These, too, are relatively recent. The com-prehensive view of dance history in the sense of history as it is treated in other disciplines is still unknown here. Anyone studying the history of the French Revolution, for instance, would have to read historians who see the revolution as a result of economic determinism, those who see it purely as political history and those who have synthesized various theories with their empirical data -

A complete picture is possible only through primary research. The formation in this country of both the Committee on Research in Dance, which includes the anthropologists, and of the Society of Dance History Scholars demonstrates a gradual awakening in this field. The membership in both organizations is often affiliated with colleges and universities — as faculty or students — but independents are also encouraged to join.

the documents found in their own research.

Certainly, the idea that dance is merely something that washes over the viewer is no longer acceptable to everyone. Obviously, some people feel the need to know more about what they are seeing. Actually, it is dance writers who have often lagged behind the public. Balletomanes, for instance, have been notorious about collecting material about dance for their private archives.

At this point, dance history scholarship seems to depend too much on whether graduate departments or colleges offer credit for research in the field. Since dance history departments usually do not exist, dissertations are often submitted to music, history or education departments. And while term papers are useful, they remain term papers. The student cannot usually find the time, money or transportation to do primary research in another location.

ONETHELESS, a step toward that direction is to be encouraged. As a matter of fact, the Society of Dance History Scholars is holding its annual meeting Feb. 14-17 in New York. A full day, Feb. 17, open to the public, will be devoted to Mary Wigman, the German modern. It will commemorate the centennial of her birth and feature a panel of her disciples in America and discussion by West German and

American researchers. Speaking of current research, a useful publication is "La Recherche en Danse," edited in Paris by Jean-Clande Serre, the

director of the new dance department at the Sorbonne. This journal, which contains articles or abstracts on research in progress, is mainly but not exclusively oriented toward

Among the articles in Volume 3, the latest to reach here, the following might suggest the range or differences in research when compared to work in the United States.

The Renaissance and Baroque periods remain a fertile field. French and Italians, with the resources at their fingertips, treat this area as their own backyard.

Thus, the famous "Ballet-Comique de la Reine" of 1581 is seen from an interesting perspective by Germaine Prudhommean who teaches dance history at the University of Paris. Since this court spectacle is listed in nearly all reference books as "the first ballet more or less as we understand it today," this article is highly significant.

First, the author states, it is wrong to maintain that Catherine de Médicis, the queen-mother, commissioned the ballet. The true organizer was Louise of Lorraine, wife of Henri III. It was her sister, Marguerite, whose marriage to the Duc de Joyeuse, was celebrated here. Moreover, the ballet, whose libretto is extant, was only one production within a month of festivities. It is not true either that this divertissement took place in the Louvre; it was in a nearby building, the Petit-Bourbon, later demolished. Danced by members of the court, the spectacle used the myth of Circe as an allegorical springboard. Prudhommean asks why the Henri III. would stage so expensive a production for courtiers not in the immediate royal family. The beneficiary, she writes, was the childless king seeking to recall the splendor of his grandfather, François I, and now threatened by a Protestant rival. The "Ballet-Comique," she concludes, was a desperate last gasp from a dynasty that was seeking to avert its

own imminent end. Nathalie Lecomte contributes a detailed article on "chinoiseries" in 18th-century ballet. Every Chinese portrayed in this danced like a French classical and academic dancer, the choreographer, Noverre, argued against authenticity and for the need to theatricalize

ethnic dances. In contrast, history in the making is surveyed in an article on the change in attitude (from hostility to acceptance) toward American modern dance companies in Paris from 1960 to 1970. The author is Jacques Cottias,

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It Takes More Than Songs To Make a Musical Revue

by Mel Gussow

T EW YORK - Musicalette: noun, from the Italian, musicaletto, songs sung in a piazza, free and al fresco. an anthology of songs, and sometimes dances, masquerading as a musical. A musicalette is connected by music or lyrics of the same au-thorship or by thematic content. There is often an attempt to offer biographical and/or his-torical information in the guise of entertainment. See also musical revue, songbook, cata-

No such definition appears in the dictionary, but perhaps it is time for the coinage and for re-evaluation of what is often a selfdefeating theatrical form. Most musicalettes fail, yet every year at least several new, or new-old, ones open here. So far this season there have been three: "Jerome Kern Goes to Hollywood." "Uptown . . . lt's Hot!"

and "Jerry's Girls." One reason for the continuing interest on the part of producers is the common misconception that all one has to do is secure the rights to a musical body of work, or stake out a period in musical history. In fact, the musical revue is one of the most difficult

Though musical anthologies are as old as the first "Passing Show" in 1894 and include all the Follies, Vanities, Gaities and Music Box Revues during the early part of this century, the modern musicalette may be said to have come of age with "Ain't Misbehavin' " in 1978.

Other revues have blithely disregarded the lessons of Fats Waller and uther lessons of the past. They have been overproduced or undernourished. They have dealt with subjects of limited theatricality or they have employed performers of limited virtuosity. Directors of these ventures often lack imagination, disregarding the essential nature of their source.

If the shows undertake a suitable subject, they sometimes intentionally restrict the point of view. Such was the case several years ago with a show called "By Bernstein,"
which was a collection of lesser-known theatrical songs by Leonard Bernstein. Any selection of this kind is bound to reveal the reasons for the musical neglect. There is one such tune in "Jerry's Girls," a song about bigotry, justifiably removed from "La Cage aux Folles" before it opened on Broadway.

NTHOLOGIES usually try to draw from a composer's strength, but the shows still fail. One insurance is to have the composer or lyricist participate in both the preparation of the show and the performance. Sammy Cahn, Irving Caesar and Betty Comden and Adulph Green have all proved that a stagestruck songwriter whu is a natural performer of his own work can add immeasurably to the immediacy of an entertainment Maurice Levine's long-running series of evenings with lyricists and composers at the 92d Street YMHA repeatedly demonstrates that fact. These are shows of taste and modesty, and, whenever possi-ble, the composer or lyricist is on stage. They are, however, small, informal revues, the musical equivalent of poetry readings; they are not designed to appeal to a wide audi-

If for reasons uf health (or mortality), the artist cannot participate, the next most judi-cious step is to assemble collaborators, friends or best-known interpreters - Bobby Short singing Cole Porter, or, perhaps, Stephen Sondheim leading an evening of Oscar Hammerstein 2d. The choicest moments in the current anthology of Kern are supplied by Elisabeth Welch because of her talent, experience and personal memories of the

In the Kern evening, to a certain degree, the songs suffer from their familiarity. Hearing "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes," "The Last Time I Saw Paris" and the songs from "Showboat," one necessarily has vivid mem-

ories of other, better renditions. The Kern cast sings many of the songs well (the group version of "Ol" Man River"



Maurice Hines airborne in "Uptown . . . It's Hot!"

transporting sense of style, Style, finally, is at the heart of those anthologies that have succeeded—with subjects as diverse as Fats

to the cast attempting to emulate celebrities — Cab Calloway, Ella Fitzgerald — and making us wish the originals were on stage. succeeded — with subjects as diverse as Fats Waller and Noel Coward ("Oh, Coward").

With lesser known songs or songwriters, there is at least the opportunity for discovcry. This has happened in the YMHA series and also with "Starting Here Starting Now," the 1977 evening of songs by Richard Malthy Jr. and David Shire. Hearing the Malthy-Shire catalog, one was impressed by the breadth of the work and wondered why it had been neglected.

On records, Ben Bagley has specialized in a related revivalism. In his "Painted Smiles" series, he has devoted songbooks not only to Gershwin and Porter but to Vernon Duke and De Sylva, Brown and Henderson.

In coutrast, there are the British anthologies of songs by American writers, seen both on stage and on television. One British import, "Side by Side by Sondheim," suffered from a surfeit of whimsy, jokes often at the expense of the songs.

In selecting a concept, adapters should be pided, primarily, by fidelity to the original; if it has to be spoofed, it is not worth doing. Because Fats Waller was one man at a backroom piano, "Ain't Misbehavin' " needed no large-scale production numbers. Duke Ellington was a big band sound; music flowed into dancing, "Sophisticated Ladies," the anthology of Ellington, profited from having dancers in the cast (Gregory Hines, Judith Jamison). "Enbie," the evening of Eubie Blake, put the proper emphasis on tap-danc-

Uptown . . . It's Hot!," conceived and directed by Maurice Hines, who also stars in the cast, takes a historical approach. It is an anthology of a half-century of black music is, however, a serious mistake) but without a and dancing. Much of the evening is devoted

Hines, a talented tap-dancer, is himself entrapped by his own design.

"Cotton Club-Gala" at La Mama An-L uex, a recent attempt at evoking the ambiance of the legendary Cotton Club. That show had several striking acts and it was marked by its lack of pretension. "Up-town . . . It's Hot!" embraces pomposity, with sweeping cinematic views of gathering clouds, simulating a flight to the heavens. There is a semblance of a book as a panel of angels confers on the history of black music and musical theater, a notion that should have been jettisoned befure the show got off

the ground.

The off-Broadway equivalent of "Uptown" is "The Golden Land," a collage of songs and scenes chronicling the history of Jewish immigration to America. It is far too vast a subject to cover in a relatively brief span of time. In attempting a pageant, adapters might look to "Tintypes" as a model. This anthology of turn-of-the-century Americana concentrated on popular music of the period as a reflection of social change. It was a chamber musical with a maximum

The uther current Broadway revue, "Jerry's Girls," cannot be said to have style, but it has a certain tinscled glamour, which itself is endemic to the work of Jerry Herman. Even as it courts vulgarity, "Jerry's Girls," to paraphrase a Herman hit, is what it is, which is more than one can say about many other musicalettes.

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Happy Tibetan New Year (With Adaptations to American Society)

ARIS — It doesn't attract as much but on the same day - Feb. 9 -Tibetans will be celebrating their New Year, or Losar, a six- or seven-day feast of dancing eating drinking chang (beer) and paying calls. "Losar is a merry time for

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everyone," says Rinjing Dorje in his book, "Food in Tibetan Luie."

Butter tea so thick you can float a com in it is drunk and the festive dinner starts with gutuk, or dumpling soup. Each dumpling has a special filling that reveals the guest's personality.

A salt filling is a good sign, meaning the guest is all right; wool means laziness, coal malice, chili rough-spokenness. White stone means a long life, sheep's pellets indicate that the guest is very clever, and butter that he or she is very sweet and easy-going.

These are traditional objects put into the dumplings." Dorje writes, "Nowadays writ-ten messages are also included, much like fortune cookies. Everyone reads these out loud and has a good laugh."

The word gutuk means ninth soup. "According to custom everything has to be not less than nine. There must be at least nine ingredients in the soup, and each person must eat at least nine bowls. Everyone will insist on this, and so some clever guests bring their own small bowls along. Everyone saves a little at the end and then drops this into a large wok. They each cut off a piece of hair, a piece of fingernail, and a piece of old cloth-

ing. These are put into the wok too." Dirt is added to the wok, and the effigy of a person modeled in dough, and the whole

thing is carried out and set in the middle of a trail junction amid as much noise as possi-

"This is done to get rid of all the negative forces at the end of the year and get ready for a new year," Done writes.

Since the Chinese takeover of Tibet and

the Dalai Lama's exile to India in 1964, many Tibetans have gone abroad. The Tibetan Institute in London says there are 70 in Britain, and the Boutique Tibetaine du Marais in Paris says there are 50 Tibetans in France Rining Dorje, whose name translates as "flat-headed thunderbolt," lives in Seattle, where be is a bartender.

TOW in his late 30s, he was a cook in a Tibetan monastery and emigrated in his teens. His book, which he also illustrated, is an attempt to record Tibetan daily life and customs for those who may never see their country. It is a charmer.

"Food in Tibetan Life" was published in London by Prospect Books, a leading publisher of scholarly books on cooking headed by Alan Davidson, a former British ambassador and an expert on fish. It all began Davidson says, when he received a quite slovenly letter from someone in Seattle about "this Tibetan bartender who had writ-

ten a book." We wrote back a rather prim letter," Davidson said on the telephone, "saying the cookbooks we do are a bit out of the ordinary and usually contain a lot of background information. The next thing, we got a highly literate letter from the bartender, who is of course our author, saying he was delighted by our letter because what we wanted corresponded exactly to what he had done." Davidson flew to Seattle ("the weather

was terrible and ours was the only plane that



Author's drawing of a picnicking Tibetan couple.

got in —all the other bigger publishers were grounded and they couldn't compete with us"). He had an excellent Tibetan meal with Dorje and his wife and Dorje got the Dalai

Lama's blessing for the book.
"The Dalai Lama," says Davidson. "blessed a comple of scarves, one for him and one for me. Tibetans go in for those white scarves quite a lot. If you have a white scarf that the Dalai Lama has blessed, that's a big plus." Indeed, the book has sold 600 copies, very good for a Prospect Books publication,

and at the august Oxford Symposium on Food, held annually at St. Anthony's College, Dorje's recipe for gyuma, or blood sausage, was the hit of the meeting. Actually, as Dorje explains in his book, as

Buddhists who respect all living creatures, Tibetans tend to eat meat only when vegetables and cereals are not available. They never slaughter small animals. "Since a life is a life, no matter what size, people consider it better to take just one life, of a single large animal." Since his aim is to record Tibetan life in all its detail. Dorje writes not only about food but also has chapters headed "Land and People," "Astrologers, Weathermakers and the lama puts a sieve down into a big vat of Healers," "Men and Women," "Old and Young," "Respect and Daily Life."

Tibetans do not, as westerners suppose, drink yak's milk, because the yak is male (the female is a dri). Dri's milk is a staple, as is buttered tea, which is not only drunk in great quantities but is also rubbed on the face and behind the ears as a sort of conditioner against the cold.

Because of the cold, Tibetans take only one bath a year and some older people take none at all on the theory that bathing washes away good fortune. Everyone washes his or her hair once a month, and faces and hands are washed daily

\tag{LOTHING, weights and measures.} religion and etiquette are all de-

scribed. So is marriage.

When people get married, there is always a big celebration. Usually, marriage in Tibet is between one man and one woman, but some rich men can afford two wives. In some parts of the country two or more brothers may marry one woman. They do this in order tu maintain their inheritance.

"This does not usually cause problems as it might elsewhere. The brothers share the wife, and she is very well respected. The brothers take turns with their wife. One will leave his shoes outside the door so the other brother will know he is with her."

When meeting someone important or old-er, "a person takes off his hat, unties his hair and folds his hands. Then he sticks ont his tongue and bows."

Some hermits specialize in controlling weather for farmers by urgently meditating in their caves. They are called lahtso (singu-

water. As the lama lifts the sieve above his head, he instructs one of the hermits to keep the water from running out of it. The hermit has to say his mantras (powerful religious phrases) and completely stop the water. Then the lama may ask him to release the water, and he does so accordingly." Successful lahtso, Dorje adds, are usually quite well

Dorje's book is only 108 pages long, 51 of them recipes, and it is said to be the only authentic work in English on the food and cookery of Tibet. "There are one or two books about Tibetan food," says Alan Davidson, "and a book published in Nepal which is a mixture of Tibetan and Nepalese recipes in broken English, but this is a real

On Feb. 9, Rinjing Dorje will celebrate Losar in Tibetan style.

"We will be celebrating here in Seattle, but somewhat in a different manner to be suitable for American society," be writes in a letter. For instance, we will be making dumpling soup (gutuk) with those surprises in them. But there will be a substitution fur sheep's pellets. We would use jelly beans instead since there are no sheep's pellets available on hand. And we will not be taking an effigy in a wok along with hair pieces and fingernail and old clothes to an intersection (junction) by shouting booming guns and ringing bells at night. Seattle police would certainly take us to a mental hospital and have psychiatric care . . .

"Happy New Year to everyone. Sincerely, Rinjing Dorje. P.S. This New Year will be 'FIRE TIGER!'"

Padua: In the Footsteps of St. Anthony and Galileo

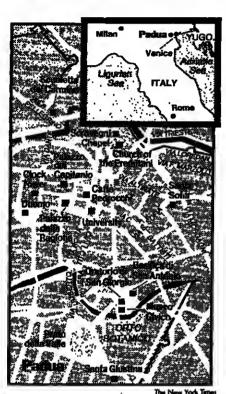
by Paul Hofmann

ADUA, Italy — To take the vigor-ous pulse of Padua, walk past the ancient Roman arena and the churches with the Giotto and Mantegna frescoes to the nearby railroad station just before 9 o'clock on a weekday morning.
The trains from Venice, just 40 minutes
away, and from Ferrara and Rovigo, Vices za and Treviso roll in one after another, disgorging thousands of young people.

Almost all are in a kind of unisex uniform blue jeans and windbreakers, padded jackets in subzero weather. Prolonged cold spells are infrequent, but the old city and the flatlands and canals surrounding it are often caveloped in thick, stubborn fog, even in

As the young men and women pour out of the station, they split into two troops: One heads for the center of the city to Il Bo, the historic main building of Padua University, about a mile to the south, while the other column turns left toward the Piovego Canal where outlying academic institutes and, far-ther on, teaching clinics spread out.

Padua University, where Petrarch lectured and Galileo taught, is still one of Italy's main centers of higher learning. Quite a few doctors in the United States who couldn't get into medical school at home started their training in Padua. Today the university has an enrollment of 40,000 students. All of them live off campus, and many commute from cities and towns throughout northeastern Italy, even from Venice, although that city has its own university. Some 1,200 Pad-



Two decades ago a number of students and faculty were convicted of conspiracy following ideologically motivated murders and kidnappings here. But today the atmo-sphere at the university is tranquil. The pre-sent generation of Padua students seems to worry more about getting a seat in the li-brary reading room rather than about revo-

Padua enjoys one of the highest average incomes in the country — and Italians will tell you that the official data doesn't tell the whole story. "Rich Padnans don't like to flannt their wealth," a physician told me. "You have to see their apartments, their country homes to realize how well off quite a few people are."

Padua's prosperity rests on solid founda-tions, some old, some new. One is Il Santo, St. Anthony of Padna. Many thousands of pilgrims from all over the world flock to the city year after year to pray at the saint's tomb in the Oriental-looking basilica that to Paduans is also simply II Santo. The church in the city's southeast is a major Roman

The Paduans consider St. Anthony one of their own, although he lived in the city only a short time. The saint was born in Lisbon in 1195, became a follower of St. Francis of Assisi and preached in Africa before taking up residence in a Paduan convent. Soon after his death in 1231 miracles were reported and attributed to his heavenly intercession. Pope Gregory IX canonized him in 1232, and the Franciscan friars promoted the construction of a huge church over his tomb.

St. Anthony's sepulcher is in the chapel of the saint in the left transept of the basilica. The altar, in white and black marble, is chattered with stone and marble votive tablets given in thanks for favors granted. There is a large box for donations "to St. Anthony," which the friars use for their charities.

The basilica is floodlit at night. Throughout the day the piazza outside the church is crowded with pilgrims and honeymoon cou-ples who buy candles to be lit in front of St. Anthony's altar, feed the immmerable pigeons and take snapshots of one another. Their favorite backdrop is the bronze monnment of the Gattamelata, or "tiger cat," the nickname of Erasmo da Narni, the 15thcentury condottiere who served the republic of Venice as commander in chief of its army. Donatello represented him as a battle-hard-ened leader whose life-size figure haughtily rides a giant horse like a Roman emperor.

wide-open space southwest of Il Santo A — today providing badly needed parking lots — has been a recreation area and meeting place of the Paduans since ancient times. Known as Prato della Valle (Meadow of the Valley), it surrounds a park with old plane trees and an oval artificial island. Livy, the historian who was a great native son of Padna, then Patavium, has his statue there, as have famous scholars of the local university. From the Prato della Valle it

ua students are foreigners during the current is a pleasant 15-minute stroll northward to academic year. oughly Venetian vista opens - a canal flanked by old buildings and linked with the Bacchiglione River, which skirts the city on

> As one approaches II Bò, one notices signs outside modest eating places offering a "student menu" consisting of a plate of pasta and a meat course for \$6 or thereabouts. Padua has not only been training scholars but also feeding them since the Middle Ages. The university was founded in 1222 when a group of law professors and their students. group of law professors and their students moved here from Bologna, that famous seat of medieval learning, in an academic walk-out. Soon medicine, philosophy, theology and other disciplines too were taught in Padua, and students from all over the Continent and the British Isles crowded the city. Shakespeare, in "The Taming of the Shrew," called Padua a "nursery of arts."

Sometime after 1493 the university bought a stately building at the center, the former Hostel of the Bo. Once a guest house for distinguished visitors, the place was known by its business sign in the shape of an ox. It became the central seat of the university, and still is. The chief entrance on the Via Otto Febbraio carries a Latin inscription that translates: "Enter to become every day more learned; go out to be more useful day by day to the country and to Christian society."

The walls of the arcaded courtyard, the staircase and the principal hall are covered with the coats of arms of academic dignitaries from 1542 to 1688, when all the available space was used up. The anatomy theater, built in 1594, with six wooden tiers seating 300 students around a dissecting table, was Europe's first. It is intact as a historical relic. Near the main hall stands a wooden pulpit with nine steps from which Galilen expounded physics from 1592 to

Il Bo was then the principal font of scholarship in the Venetian republic. Padna was under the domination of Venice from 1405 until 1797 when Napoleon annexed the Most Serene Republic. A column carrying the lion of St. Mark, the symbol of Venice, rises to this day in front of the former palace of the Venetian governors in the Piazza dei Signori (square of the lords), west of the colorful Piazza delle Erbe (square of vegetables) with its outdoor market.

IAGONALLY opposite the university center is another landmark, the Caffe Pedrocchi. When a local entrepreneur, Antonio Pedrocchi, opened it in a neo-classical building in 1831, it was praised as the most elegant coffeehouse in Europe. After serving for generations as a meeting place of Paduan intellectuals and society, it fell on hard times after World War II.

Pedrocchi's last heirs deeded the premises to the city in 1981, and the local authorities have restored the cafe to its old spleador. With its stone lions in front of its Doric columns, its stuccoed and gilt halls, and its immaculate table linen in its green, white



The basilica and Piazza del Santo.

and red rooms (Italy's national colors), the Caffe Pedrocchi is today again a hangout for well-to-do Paduans. A cappuccino at the standun counter costs the equivalent of about 65 cents, no more than it would in any other local espresso bar. Ice cream, cake and snacks are available too.

Much of the talk in the Caffe Pedrocchi today is about business and money, Padua, with a population of 250,000, has become the foremost financial center of the region of Venetia. Ringed with many small and medium-sized industrial plants that have sprouted during the last decades to turn out everything from shoes to appliances, the city is a haven for banks, insurance companies, lawvers and traders.

Many well-heeled Paduans own property on the so-called Brentz Riviera, the shores of a network of waterways linked with the placid Brenta River and the Venetian Iagoon. The flat, often misty, countryside with its weeping willows and shrubbery, its gardens and flat meadows suggests the Netherlands

rather than conventional images of Italy. Its melancholy charm can be glimpsed from the motorboat that plies between Padua and Venice six times a week from spring to fall. The craft takes off from Padua's old river port at the elaborate 18th-century Venetian,

gate in the city's northwest on Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays.

The boat is called the Burchiello (little ship), reminiscent of the beloved crafts in which people of means would travel between Venice and Padua in centuries past. The modern Burchiello haits in two places en route, lunch is on board. The first stop is at the Villa Pisani, or Villa Nazionale, near the town of Stra, a sumptuous mainland resi-dence that a Venetian doge, Alvise Pisani, had built for himself around 1740. The Pisani family is glorified in a fresco that Tiepolo painted on the ceiling of the huge ballroom in 1762, the Baroque master's last work in Italy before he went abroad.

The next stop is at the Palladian Villa Foscari, also called La Malcontenta. Its clas-

sical portico overlooks a gentle bend of the Brenta Canal. La Malcontenta, meaning the discontented woman, is an intriguing place name recorded since the 14th century. Various romantic stories offer explanations for the lady's unhappiness: According to one, a jealous Venetian nobleman exiled his young wife to this remote place; another version tells of the hopeless passion of an aristocratio beauty for a lowly page. Giambattista Ze-lotti, a painter from Verona, decorated the interior. One figure in his frescoes represents a moody-looking lady — La Malcontenta

The latter-day Burchiello approaches St. Mark's Square just as the late afternoon man bathes the lagoon and the city in golden light. There is no better way to arrive in

Paul Hofmann, a former correspondent for The New York Times, for which he wrote this article, is completing a book on smaller cities and towns in Italy.

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enna Philharmonic, Riccardo Muti conductor (Schubert, Bartok). Staatsoper (tel: 53.24.45). OPERA - Feb. 7, 10: "Tosca" (Puccini).

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Pavoratti. Feb. 13: "Die Zauberflöte" (Mo-Tanz '86 International Dance conductor. Festival (tel: 57. 71.51).

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Feb. 11: "La Bohème" (Puccini).

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•Musées Royaux d'Art et d'His-toire (tel: 733.96.10). EXHIBITION — To Feb. 28; Women In Pharaonic Times. Palais des Beaux-Arts (tel: CONCERTS — Cleveland Orches-

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My Sister" (MacMillan/Schönberg), "Bolero" (Bejart/Ravel).

Feb. 8: "Onegin" (Cranko/Tchaikovsky). Feb. 12: "Don Giovanni, Varia-

(Béjart/Chopin), "Nuages" (Kylian, Debussy), "Hommage à Bolshoi" (Cranko/Glasunow), "Gaité CONCERTS — Berlin Philhar- Parisienne" (Béjart/Offenbach).

monie Orchestre — Feb. 8: Carlo OPERA — Feb. 7: "Das Rheingold" (Wagner). Feb. 9: "Die Walküre" (Wagner). Feb. 11: "La Cenerentola" (Rossi-

tor (Prokofiev, Rachmaninov).

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MONACO

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THE NETHERLANDS

AMSTERDAM, Concertgebouw (tel: 71.83,45). Orchestra - Feh. 7: Bernard Haitink conductor, Matthias Maurer violin (Walton, Beethoven). RECITALS - Feb. 7: Lucia

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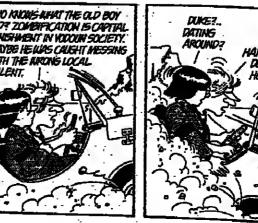
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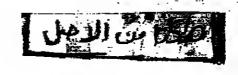
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by Henry Kamm

of the great sights of eastern Turkey. From

Anatolia to Mount Ararat in the distant east

continue to scale in search of Nosh's Ark, persuaded that there it ended its voyage —

eastern Turkey is one of the world's most historically and columnally fascinating re-

But the pleasure of discovery has to be paid for by endurance of the hardships of

pand for by canting the transfer of the natural particular development — poor accommodations, scarcity of safe food and drink and an almost insuperable language barrier for those without Turkish or Kurdish.

And so, coming face to face with those startling heads brought a dual reward: I saw at last those ancient works of art that even in

photographs I had found strangely compel-ing, and I experienced one of the joys of travel that packaged jet tours, air-condition-ed buses and the spread of hotel chains into

remote places have been rapidly making a

thing of the past. It is the per arthua ad astra phenomenon, the sense of having earned what you got, of having slogged through the

mud to see the stars.

The suggestion that I rise before 2 A.M. to

drive for two to three hours on a bumpy and midsummer-dusty road winding up a moun-tain, then continue the climb for another

mile on foot, was entertained only because leaving the ghastly hotel — the best in the area — seemed desirable at any hour.

Clearly my view of the accommodations

was shared by the busload of Yugoslav trek-

kers heading for Ararat, hundreds of miles to

the northeast. There they were, at 2 A.M.,

stretched out in a thin gray line of sleeping bags, preferring the comfort of the hotel's parking lot to the rigors of their rooms.

The best hotel in Adiyaman, the nearest

major town, is better than average by the

standards of the Turkish Ministry of Culture

and Tourism in its current listing of hotels. It tips 2 on a scale that starts with L for luxury,

and works its way down from I. Beneath 4 is

judged unacceptable. The facilities and ser-

vice at the waterless best hotel in Adiyaman

gave rise to frightening visions of the hotels in town that are not even listed.

I had intended to sleep until departure.

but the swarms of flies that shared my room

had not. I fought them a losing battle over

control of the bed. I would have ceded it to-

Even the Serbo-Crost curses of the park-

ing-lot sleepers, aroused by the engine of my

car, did not diminish a sense of pleasure on

eaving on my predawn mission for Mount

Nemrut, 40 miles from Adiyaman and 7,217 feet above sea level. The early departure was

dictated by advice from friends and guide

books that to see the sun gradually awaken

the massive heads from the dark is drama of

No doubt friends and authors are right,

but I missed the magic moment. By the time

I had scaled the heights along the steep,

zigzagging path that leads from the natural

mountaintop to the terraces of the 164-foot-

on it to create his eventual burial place,

dawn's rosy fingers had already begon their

daily paint job on the trunkless heads. It was the cup of Turkish coffee at the end of the

road, necessary to enable me to make the

final ascent on foot, that cost me that mo-

But there was magic enough in the ex-

traordinary sight even without the special lighting effects. It is hard to disagree with

ohn Freely, author of the excellent "Com-

panion Guide to Turkey," who called Antiochus's burial mound "megalomaniacal." The king of the buffer state separating the Ro-man Empire from Parthia, an early Iranian

ringdom, traced his ancestry to Alexander the Great of Macedonia and Darius the

Great of Persia, fusing two great dynasties of god-kings. He led the kingdom, called the Commagene, in what was its golden age, roling from 64 to 32 B.C. In A.D. 72, Com-

magene was conquered by Emperor Vespaian and incorporated into the Roman prov-

ince of Syria.

The tumplus is conical, made of fist-sized stones piled on top of the mountain, which had presumably been flattened in prepara-

open-air hierothesions, a combination of

niences of getting to the top of Mount Nem-rut. Aligned at the rear there were six en-

throned and headless statues - imposingly massive marble blocks, six blocks to each

statue from bulky shoulders to huge feet set

Yet despite the power the monuments convey, at their feet there lay the evidence of

their mortality: Amid the jumble of broken blocks of marble, bases of columns and fragments of bas-reliefs stood their heads, each much taller than a man, set upright apparently wherever the head-hunters of centuries

or milleriums ago had let them roll after their act of vandalism. And what heads they

are! Antiochus, the descendant of two great lines of divine rulers, had his sculptors create umltiple gods and demigods, fosing in their

bearing and features the majestics of Hellen-

Zeus and Ahura Mazda, the chief Persian

divinity, are one, as are Ares and Artagnes and Hercules, gods and demigods of war and power. Apollo, Miffra, Helio and Hermes

are a joint sun god. And Antiochus himself is another of the deities. An inscription says:

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ic and Persian civilization.

HE vision that greeted me as I turned the last of the zigzags to step onto the

eastern terrace was strong enough to fface instantly all memory of the inconve-

tion when Antiochus ordered his mau: constructed. Two large terraces were cut into the flank of the cone, whose circumference is nearly 500 feet, and made into majestic

omb and sanctuary.

on footrests.

pent of special enchantment.

h superstructure that Antiochus had pile

the highest order and not to be missed.

them, but it occupied all of the room.

- whose heights American fundamentalists

HE immense mountaintop burial

mound of King Antiochus, with its array of gigantic marble heads sev-

ered from their stone bodies, is one

embrances of the Hittites in central

About five miles beyond, the road crosses

and spend the night on the peak.

The Stone Gods of Mount Nemrut

TRAVEL

Club Med and Computers: Hedonism Plus Self-Help

FOR FUN AND PROFIT

by Roger Collis

N New Year's Day, at Club Médi-terranée's ski resort in St. Moritz, the late night computer workshop, devoted to business communication, was so popular as an après-ski activity, that latecomers who had not booked were being turned away. Those crowding the 10to-midnight (and beyond) class included self-employed businessmen, executives, housewives and students intent on learning the basics. Star talents would be awarded prizes for the best computer graphic at the club's gala evening later that week.

This incongruous scene is described by Alan Simpson, a London-based computer specialist and Club Med enthusiast, to illustrate how the microcomputer revolution has reached the heartland of the great hedonistic vacation. Club Med, which was built on escapism, has added self-improvement to its established formula of sun, sand, sea, snow, sports and communal living in its self-con-tained vacation villages. Artifacts of the outside world — clocks, newspapers, radio, TV and telephones — are positively discour-

aged. Even money is replaced by necklaces of detachable beads.

Yet the club, having already blurred the line between work and play with tuition in a vast range of activities, recognizes that people need to come to terms with the technology that increasingly offers that increasing the first which the second ogy that increasingly affects their daily lives. It's a serious mission — not least because it gives cost-conscious consumers an important added value to the vacation package. (Everything in a Club Med village is includ-

ed in the price except drinks and excursions.) The first computer workshop was launched in Sicily in 1982. According to Pierre Schemla, who heads the program, there are now 25 workshops in about 20 countries, attracting a total of 120 thousand people last year. His target is to equip more than 60 villages with at least 20 PCs each and train 1,200 instructors among the staff of GOs (gentils organisateurs, which means something like "friendly organizers") who mix informally with the GMs (gentils membres, "friendly vacationers") in time-honored Club Med tradition. "It may seem to go against the grain of beads and bikinis," Simpson says, "but Club Med is taking compaters very seriously indeed. They are now in the top league of computer-training establishments worldwide."

Inspiration for the workshops comes from Gilbert Trigano, Club Med's dynamic chairman and chief executive, who created the first vacation village of Polynesien-style straw huts in Corfu in 1955. Today, the club operates more than 170 villages and hotels, ranging from back-to-nature straw buts to air-conditionned bungalows, with 18,000 employees in nearly 50 countries. It is France's leading tour operator and hotel corporation and the 11th largest hotel group

Trigano's philosophy is "to break down the artificial differences between people at heart we are all the same." Its success is reflected in the fact that,70 percent of GMs have been at the club at least once before.

Club Med's image has changed since the 1960s, from that of a singles club - sun, sea, sex — to that of a more cosmopolitan crosssection. Typically, a village will comprise young professionals, retired people and 30 percent will be children. A recent advertising campaign showed a sun-tanned grandfather on water skis. Although there is every conceivable kind of organized activity, there is no coercion — you can either socialize or be left alone. Although French is still the prodominant language in most villages (overall about 40 percent of GMs are French), 18 villages in Europe and 14 in the rest of the world will convert to English as the first language. These are nearly all villages with computer workshops.

Just over a year ago, Trigano was named by President François Mitterrand to set up training programs for new and changing jobs. One of his first projects was to set about installing computers in all French

schools and universities.

In a way, the Club Med computer workshops can be seen as a microcosm of this gigantic task. There are classes to suit every one, whatever their state of proficiency. Says Schemla, "We made a mistake when we started by reserving the machines for children, but we soon found that the parents had kicked them out and taken their place. Our

Instruction in new technology proves popular

aim is to demystify the computer, and give people confidence. Everyone is going to live with this technology so we had better learn about it. A vacation is the ideal time to do this; you have the time and you are better able to learn. The GOs sdapt to the level of the participants so that people can progress at their own speed and with their own ideas."

While a couple of machines are set aside for children of all ages to play games, there are usually at least 10 machines available in each village for study, either in class, or for individual practice. Not all the machines are in one place, they may be on the beach, around the pool or near the après-ski center, and are an integral part of village activity, being used for scoring sporting events and measuring applause at talent competitions. Initially all the computers were supplied by Atari, one reason being that they were sufficiently rugged to withstand the abuse. Other makes, such as IBM and Olivetti, will make an appearance this summer.

Classes are usually for two hours a day and geared to a week's learning cycle. There is a basic course every morning at 10:30 (here you learn first principles like how to hit the right key, input material and move it around the screen), a more advanced session around 5 P. M. (simple programming, bud-geting and accounting) and a much more advanced session late in the evening. Typi-cally, this consists of integrated office networking, distributed word processing and business communication. Participants can

also get individual trition. Even for people who use computers every day, these classes can be valuable. Businessmen have the opportunity to explore the potential of a computer away from the inhi-bition of the office. They can relax in front of a terminal without worrying about making fools of themselves and find new ways of doing things. It might encourage them to go and buy their own PC, especially if they are

· So far, it's unlikely that many people will go on a Club Med vacation with the sole purpose of getting a computer education, but this may change. Last summer, the club ran a computer seminar designed for doctors at its village in Majorca. Called Micro Cool 2000, this involved a half-day of study for a

week and cost 3,000 French francs a person.
According to Schemia, the cinb will soon mounce a similar program at Marbella, Spain, this summer, tailored to the needs of executives and owners of small- and medi-

um-sized companies.

Micro Cool 2000, seems to be an ideal solution for those who still wrestle with the puritan work ethic on vacation.

biographer, he would not now be great"), Greer was dressed for battle in gold-flecked black cape and red tunic, set off by gold basketball shoes. "What you have to under-stand about what I'm wearing," she ex-plained when asked about her footgear, "is

that I'm dressed as a Fury!"

Her companion in attack, the satirist Auberon Waugh (whose views were read for him as be was kept away by a family bereave-ment) said that biographers were benign when they considered themselves gossip-writers, but were absurd when they claimed to be serious. No outsider, Waugh said, can possibly describe the life of anyone else.

A WITTERLY

HE chief defender, more demure than Greer but just as committed, was Viotoria Glendinning, prize-winning bi-ographer of Vita Sackville West. She has also done Edith Sitwell and Elizabeth Bowen and is working on Rebecca West, all of them "women who have made something of their lives." To Glendinning, the biographical impulse is the same that produces all literature. Far from prurient, "it brings before the read-er the great psychological constants, and the irrational, emotional inner life of significant ".sleubivibni

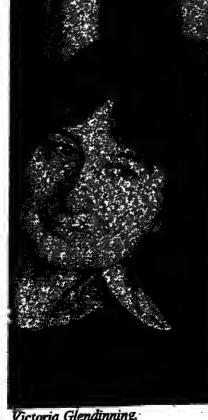
To the English, in Glendinning's view, biography is particularly important because they are a people both relicent and "not deeply religious." "We have to make sense of life on earth," she said. "Human beings just do not have to the property of the control of the contro do not have enough information about the conditions of their existence."

Richard Holmes, biographer of Shelley and Coleridge, gave his own answer to the mystery of why the English are so good at it. English sensibility," he said, using a phrase to cover a multitude of virtues, from "a massive for the coverage of the passion for the particular" and appreciation of eccentricity to open archives, a sense of

humor and fair play. But Greer, an Australian, had her own diagnosis of the flaw in the English national character that produces the biographic discase: a complacent anti-intellectualism. ldess are seen not as the products of thought

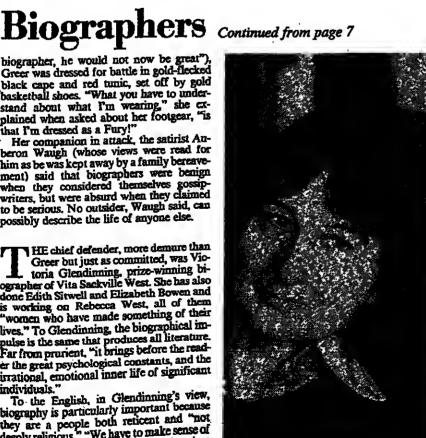
but "as aspects of personality." "One thinks as one does," she mocked, "because one is old, female, tall, unmarried, childless, Australian, had an unhappy child-

bood, or was once raped." The evening was further enlivened by Greer's attack on Lady Susan Chitty, who, she said, had libeled her late mother, the novelist Antonia White, in a book published less year. Lady Chitty rose to defend "And Now to My Mother" as a book about a deeply complex and unhappy woman, "who



By the end, when George Eliot's proposi-tion was resoundingly defeated by the parti-san andience, it was clear that "the English disease" is not lack of eloquence nor remo-tance to don dinner jackets to discuss an eternal communa like the morality of biogdiscovered. Literary biography flourishes by offering release to the eloquent race that fears psychoanalysis, confession and open government. It seems to be the one form in which secrets can get ont.

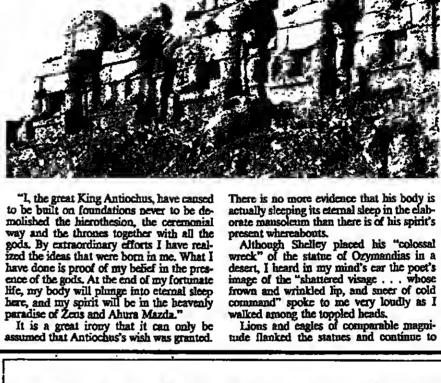
Brenda Maddox, an American writer living in London, is writing the biography of Nora Barnacle, wife of James Jayce.



Victoria Glendinning.

loved and hated me as I loved and hated her." But unnerved by the Greer invective, she fell into repeating, "I have been grossly... grossly..." while the moderator, Frank Delancy, gently edged her off the

raphy. The disease is rather a terror of being



The god Artagnes and King Antiochus and, below, bodies of six statues.

from land, the eagles from the air. Bas-reliefs, many of which show Antiochus shaking hands with the gods, are propped up against the rear and sides of the terraces. The popularity of the sunrise show made for a crowd scene at that time. I found it

guard the site - the lions against dangers

profitable to let the rush pass and to allow the groups to return to the minibuses that had brought them from below, pressed by their drivers. By & A.M. I was almost alone with the sculptures and the glorious mountain view over the shimmering land of the Euphrates, ancient Mesopotamia. XALTATION is out too lofty a word

for the feeling that is communicated by the combination of the beauty of the physical landscape — rugged, high mountains changing colors with the light growing intense and the gleam of the sun reflected from the streams that cut through them — and the sense that one is looking over the land where much of early history was acted out, the ground where East met West and the twain parted.

On the way down there was a chance to see what the dark had hidden during the night's ride. Over the village of Eski Kahta tower the ruins of two fortresses. One is the New Castle, built in the 14th century by the Mamelukes, possibly on the ruins of an older Armenian fortification. Across the Kahta River, once called the Nymphaios, on a rocky, fortified mound, stand the ruins of Arsameia, the summer capital of Commagene. Its founder was Arsamos, an ancestor There, too, archaeologists have unearthed

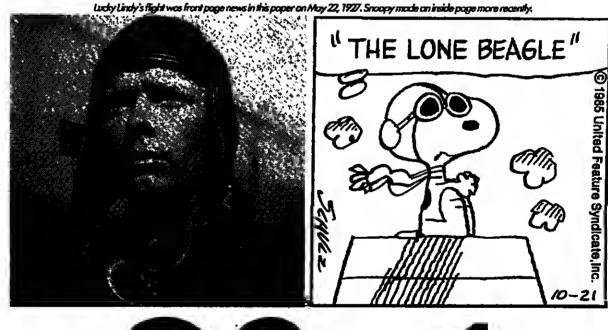
the traces of a tomb-sanctuary. But above all, Friedrich Karl Domer found in 1951 a magnificent bas-relief. Nearly 12 feet high and beautifully preserved, it shows a handshake between a god and a man, another combination of Hercules, Ares and Artagnes meeting King Mithradates 1 Callinicos, the founder of the Commagene kingdom and the town of Arsameia. Left at its site and replaced upright, the relief is a great argument for restoring sculptures in museums to their original sites.

the river by a handsome Roman bridge guarded at each end by a pair of columns, of which three survive. The columns symbolized the four cities of Commagene, who erected the bridge in honor of the Emperor Septimius Severus (194-211), his wife and two sons. Legend reports that one of the sons, Caracalla, who succeeded his father. murdered his brother and ordered removed the column that recalled his memory.

Another five miles down is the Karakus tumulus, the burial place of the queens and other royal women of Commagene, encircled by groups of columns. Among the statues topping them is a headless black bird, karakus, which gave the site its popular name.

Because of the rugged terrain and the altitude, Mount Nement is a late-spring to early-antumn excursion, to be avoided when there is risk of high winds and snow. The next time, I think I will bring a sleeping bag

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From France with Style... The Preppy Look and a Jigsaw Puzzle

For many years a top Paris fashion name, Daniel Hechter, has also been a favourite in London. His shop in New Bond Street has recently been given a face lift in true Parisienne manner, as a tough battle in the months ahead is planned with other expatriates, notably Italian Benetton, whose line in casual, sporty chic follows closely the original thoughts of Monsieur

Hechter could be the father of the 'preppy' look and was the first in his field to mix up primary colours in classic sportswear. He dared put a purple scarf round the neck of a scarlet sweater long before his followers cottoned on to such startling combinations. Always the garments themselves were classic in style and they still are.

(first consignments arriving this month) it's casual hut trendy gear for meo, womeo and childreo. And for the first time the Hechter label will be found in Harrods and Harvey Nichols as well as in the Bood Street shop.

A young look includes cute mini skirts, shorts, snazzy bermudas, huge jackets and brightly patterned saroog skirts. For men, unstructured jackets, easy pants and shirts for sailing and yachting, while gingham checks and stripes for the girls look great in buttercup yellow or green. Mothers and daughters will both wear the grey and white collection they call 'Captain's Diner', slick coats, pants, skirts and overshirts that add up to a cool summer ward-

Down the road, at 155 New Bond Street, a touch of genius is the Hermes jigsaw puzzle, made from the designs on their scarves and

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the road at Harrods, French imports are to be found all **DINING OUT** over the store, but particularly when they start a big French promotion in March. Tan Guidicelli came over to London from Paris a year ago THE ADAM ROOM and this year sees the 1st at The Lowndes Thistle anniversary of his shop in Hotel, Lowndes Street,

fabrics, softest gold, sequin als frilled and hare. The new short, tight and uncluttered by trimmings. Tight, chop-

ish, special occasion clothes

as much. Evenings bere are

ready-to-wear range of styl- dresses with flying skirts keep added for strength. At £9.99 this collection interesting to that carry the same ritzy youthful customers in search be a good idea here.

image as those that cost twice of high style. Meanwhile, Dickins and sparkling and seductive -Jones, a sister shop to Harswathed bodies in metallic rods, have good news for everybody in their Pile et scattered or gorgeous materi- Pull' knitwear and separates. This is a best value, high Spring collection plays it fashion story and the range (some of which is made in Italy) includes such bargains ped pants are worn with long as a chic sweater made in 85% jackets, and above the knee lambswool with 15% nylon

and in 21 colours there could

Pile et Pull (it means 'stack of sweaters) also have ribbed ski pants for £17.99 and a trendy long side buttoning pleated skirt for £35.99, just right for the new skinny look.

Name dropping

No story about French imports to this country can be

jewellery, cars, food and wine from across the Channel that add pleasure to our lives. but

France also exports people! Lucienne Phillips a petite, pretty Frenchwoman with a dress shop at 89 Knightsbridge who has devoted her enormous talent-spotting ability to promoting British fashion designers, has a customer list that reads like an international Debrett. Buying elothes from her is a great adventure.

probably unique in having

freezing wells for the fruit

sorbets. The desserts are cert-

zinly exquisite, the lamb is

beautifully prepared, and the

vegetables are cooked with a

particular eye to unusual pair-

cheese in oil. The memory

that lingers bowever, was of

those big dark-bearted wines.

Hotel restaurants for some

reason aren't considered to be

little place round the corner'

which is a pity, when London

offers so many good ones.

They are often in the charge

of chefs of great style too -

Anton Mossimann at the Dor-

chester and Bernard Gaume at

the Carlton Tower, for

example, where he supervises

the Chelsea Room, a classic

restaurant looking over the

ings of taste. Try the goat's

and their dessert trolley is veal. Luscious desserts and a

quite on a par with 'that nice shops in Soho - with a

She sells the best of Britain and that is tres chic. Roland Klein a Frenchman

who lives and works in London is in the top flight of British designer fashion. His clothes are sophisticated and admired all over the world. Recently he designed the uniforms for the crew of British Airways which are now to be seen on Concorde or an Airbus. You can't fly higher or faster than that!

Ann Price

good, well-selected

all-French wine list. The

restaurant is presenting 2

set-price lunch every weekday

Of course, you may still,

after all this, prefer to eat at

home! If so there are many

shops offering the proper

ingredients in London and

food departments in such

stores as Selfridges are excel-

lent. There are still French

grocery store that feels a bit

ike Paris, plus a butcher

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Vive la Cuisine Française à Londres

Most of us have dream-like memories of French vacations, and when we have come back to our grey home-towns, France and things French seem all the more attractive in retrospect. Millions of European and American visitors share this love affair with things Gallic, otherwise how to explain the plentitude of French restaurants in a city like London?

restaurants are listed in a unusual two course only restpopular weekly guide to aurant. Open for lunch and London's eating places, from dinner every day except Sunthe grand established spots such as L'Ecu de France on Jermyn Street and Boulestin in Covent Garden; and others are Lampwicks in Battersea and the Aquarian in Bloomsbury, none of them inexpensive and some tending newly-decorated restaurant is to the pretentious. Some even have distinctly cute names such as Truffles at the Port-The little dress boutiques man Inter-Continental and Twenties in Earl's Court, in London do a strong line in French fashion. Feathers at where romance rules and pic-40 Hans Crescent, SWI, have tures of old movie stars look

seven French designers includown. ded in their fashion mix of The most sought after designers from Italy, Spain places in London tend to be those claiming to have an find Claude Montana, Hiroko atmosphere that coojures up Koshino, Thierry Mugler and France. Michel is one of these, Jiki newly arrived from spring an intimate place oo Kensingcharm and a belpful French staff. This little spot in the middle of Kensington is open every day, including Sundays, has a set lunch menu at around \$12, and changes its

menus according to season. Mênage à Trois is a popular place, and Antony Worrall-Thompson has produced a book "The Small and Beautiful Cookbook" for those

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Descriptions of dishes go rather over the top at Bates on Henrietta Street in Covent Garden, otherwise this

and dinner every day (no

lunch Saturdays) and last

orders are late bere too,

making it handy for eating

after a visit to the two opera

houses, both within easy

walking distance.

attractive restaurant in an area that has been rather thin on places to eat. The St James's Court is a new hotel just off the busy thoroughfare of Victoria Street and close to the Houses of Parliament. This Taj-owned hotel, carved from blocks of Edwardian apartments, has just opened a French restaurant which specialises in the cooking of Provence - hence its name, L'Auberge de Provence. Here even the wine list, carefully selected by M. Andre Charrial of the famous Oustau de Baumanière, is almost all Pro-

vençal vintages and the dishes gardens of Sloane Street. also carry through the region-Old style French elegance is aimed at Le Bouquet, a new spot at 4 Queen's Gate, just off Kensington Gardens. Beautifully lit and decorated in soft colours, pink predominating, Le Bouquet is open every day except Monday for lunch and dinner from Michel Pallares' well presented menus to the svelte service of head Jean-Paul Grillon. Try the

(no lunch Sundays), from shop, so you can cook well 12:15, dinner from 7.00pm and feel virtuous too! with last order at 11.00. The Michael Leech flair is definitely Gallic here

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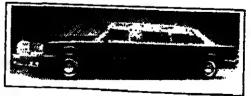
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Technological Advances Make Plastics Respectable

By DANIEL F. CUFF

EW YORK -- Plastics, once equated with firmsy, EW YORK — Plastics, once equated with filmsy, throwaway products, are winning a reputation for durability, quality and versatility, appearing in everything from hip implants to bodies of jet fighters. Forty years after their mass introduction as a stopgap during World War II, plastics are increasingly being touted as a replacement for steel, glass and aluminum in a broad array of products.

The change is keyed to technological advances that have made some plastics stronger and more heat resistant than the materials they are replacing. Moreover, the latest generation of plastics is available in countless chemical combinations that can be specially designed for new or ex-

ly designed for new or ex-panded applications.

Such major suppliers of Some resistance to plastics as General Electric plastic lingers from Co. and Du Pont Co. are leading a charge on Detroit, for example, where General Mo-tors and other automakers are its early days, when it was perceived seeking to adapt plastics to high-volume production. The as inferior.

material is continuing a de-cade-long surge in building and construction markets, replacing

plumbing fixtures, windows and insulation. And dramatic growth is expected in the packaging field, as plastic containers more and more replace glass bottles and aluminum cans. Significant gains will also be made, industry analysts predict, in electronics, aerospace, sporting goods, consumer appliances and even medical technology, where plastic hip implants are already being used and biodegradable plastic sutures are being developed.

developed.

"This is an enormously exciting period" for plastics, said Nicholas Pappas, a Du Pont group vice president. "The time is and new materials are coming into being to accelerate the market change."

Just how widespread the changeover will be is unclear, however. Analysts note that suppliers of other materials are already seeking to outdo advances in plastic products. The steel industry, for example, is trying to improve the quality of its products and is consulting more closely with U.S. automakers about their needs.

N ADDITION, some resistance to plastic lingers from its early days, when it was perceived as an inferior material.

early days, when it was perceived as an interior material.

Problems with recycling pose other obstacles.

Moreover, rising imports of finished plastic products and competition among various plastics for the same markets have hurt domestic suppliers. According to the Society of the Plastics Industry, a Washington-based trade group, U.S. plastics production will grow just 2 percent this year, up from 47.7 billion pounds (21.7 billion kilograms) in 1985, because of imports as well as an expected decline in auto sales and housing starts.

Nevertheless ampoliers remain entimistic. Along with Du Pont

Nevertheless, suppliers remain optimistic. Along with Du Pont and General Electric, the industry includes most of the big oil and chemical companies, as well as foreign-based companies operating here, such as Mobay Chemical Corp. and American Hoechst Corp. Most of these big companies are resin producers and makers of semifinished products. In addition, there are hundreds

of companies that turn out fabricated plastic products.

The plastics industry will cut deeply into traditional metal markets by the year 2000, according to Du Pont. The industry has already captured \$6.3 billion in sales from metal, mostly in autos, electronics and packaging, the company said. That will grow to \$27.5 billion by the end of the century, Du Pont predicted, when the newest and toughest plastics, known as engineering plastics, percent of the metal markets, up f percent now.

Analysts are also bullish about the electronics field, despite slowed growth in plastic sales in that sector last year because of a slump in high-tech industries.

And the recent sharp drop in the price of crude oil should make plastics, which are petroleum-based, less expensive, adding to

The main selling point of plastics suppliers of late, however, is (Continued on Page 13, Col. 1)

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Kuwait Reiterates Warning

Price Could Hit \$10, Sheikh Says

KUWAIT — Kuwait's oil and industry minister, Sheikh Ali Khalifa al-Sabah, has repeated an earlier forecast that oil prices would drop to \$10 a barrel unless OPEC

and non-OPEC producers reach In an interview in Vienna pubished in Thursday's editions of the Kuwaiti daily, Al-Watan, Sheikh Ali urged members of the Organi-zation of Petroleum Exporting Countries and nonmembers to

reach agreement on production ceiling and prices. "I have already said that in the absence of an agreement between OPEC and non-OPEC members, prices might reach \$10 a barrel," he

Prices on world markets were enerally stable Thursday after arp declines earlier in the week. Britain's benchmark Brent crude for March delivery was quoted late in the day at \$16.25 a barrel, virtully unchanged from Wednesday. In Tripoli, meanwhile, oil indus-ry sources and diplomats said that

ibya, Iran and Algeria have agreed to reduce the official price of their oil. The report was later

denied by Algeria.

Earlier, Algeria's APS news agency said the three oil ministers ad agreed to extend consultations and coordination to other exporting countries. It said the three ministers had discussed "ways and means of restoring the world mar-ket through organizing production and defending prices" In a related development, the oil

inisters of Venezuela and Mexico, Arturo Hernández Grisanti and rancisco Labistida Ochoa, arrived Cairo Thursday for consultations with the Egyptian minister.
The two officials said they would

postpone any statements until they had met with the Egyptian petro-leum minister, Abdel-Hadi Kandil.
Egypt, which is not an OPEC member, has already cut its daily production of 870,000 barrels by

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200,000 barrels.

U.S. Economic Report Denies Job-Import Link

Although manufacturing output

South Africa

Uses Last of

IMF Reserves

PARIS - South Africa has

drawn the last of the reserves it had on deposit with the International Monetary Fund, totaling 70 million

special drawing rights (about \$77 million), data published in the

IMF's monthly International Fi-nancial Statistics show.

Any member country can make withdrawals from what is called its

reserve tranche by declaring that it

needs the funds for balance of pay-

ic and does not require IMF ap-

South African loan requests do

require approval and, when made

in the past, have stirred controversy

exmuent's apartheid system of ra-

South Africa last borrowed from

South Africa froze nearly all repayments on its \$24 billion of for-

cago loans in August after banks

began cutting off short-term credit

to the government. That followed

ments. The withdrawal is an

By Jane Seaberry Washington Post Service no radical shift in demand away from U.S. manufactured goods," the report said. Nor has growing international competitive pressure WASHINGTON - President Ronald Reagan's Council of Economic Advisers, in its annual re-"substantially altered this relationport to Congress, attacked the notion Thursday that sluggish ship," the CEA said. economic growth and the decline in

markets have been offset by the expansion of manufacturing outcaused by foreign competition and put necessary to satisfy greater do-The report provides the econommestic consumption, investment or ic underpinnings for the Reagan administration's opposition to progovernment purchases," the CEA tectionist measures, which are expected to be the focus of renewed has increased, it has not led to a rise battles this spring in Congress as election campaigns gear up. It was in the need for equipment and also the first time that the admittismanufacturing employment has tration has flatly denied that U.S. declined, the report said.

trade problems have hurt factory

American manufacturing jobs were

jobs and the economy, The U.S. economy began slowing down 18 months ago, while the manufacturing sector lost 325,000 jobs in the first nine months of 1985. Some politicians and economists have attributed both of these things to three consecutive years of record U.S. trade deficits.

Some economists have said that as many as three million jobs have been lost because of imports. The trade deficit for 1985 was \$148 billion, surpassing the record \$123 bil-lion in 1984.

Congressional supporters of tariffs and other import restrictions have built their case on the idea that the trade deficit has hurt domestic manufacturers.

The CEA said that its analysis was intended to discredit that theory and thus, any protectionist legslation that Congress may consid-

The CEA contended that the loss of jobs results from improved effincy in the manufacturing sector and high labor costs. The report said that any reduction in exports of American goods has been offset over perceived support for the govby increased sales within the United States.

A CEA official acknowledged Thursday that some industries have the IMF three years ago. Starting Introduction that some interest composition, but said that manufacturing overall has not suffered.

this mouth the government is scheduled to begin repaying the nearly 1 billion SDRs outstanding on that loan. The repayments are to

Senator John C. Danforth, Rebublican of Missouri and chairman be made in equal quarterly installof the Senate finance trade sub- ments over the next 24 months. committee, said during recent trips to the Far East that some, though not all, of the decime in manufacturing jobs is caused by increased

"If you look at what has hap an outbreak of riots that caused pened to our trade balance in manufactures since 1982, it's pretty. It's fit government in the face of hard to deny a relationship exists. Sustained anti-apartheid violence. between the trade deficit and the Loans from official institution problems of manufacturers, Mr. such as the IMF have been exempt-Danforth said Thursday.

ed from the freeze and it is assumed U.S. manufacturing output has the repayments due to the IMF will grown steadily with the economy be made on schedule.



Ozal of Turkey, as Klaus Schwah, center, the organizer of the Davos business symposium, and Switzerland's economic minister, Knrt Furgler, look on. It was the first meeting of the two prime ministers, whose nations are longtime adversaries.

Calls for Global Action on Economy Stir Few Cheers at Davos Seminar

By Axel Krause

International Herold Tribune
DAVOS, Switzerland — The president of a small West German toolmaker had just heard U.S.
Commerce Secretary Malcohn Baldrige urge Western Europe and Japan to stimulate their economies as part of a global program to restore confidence in

Relaxing at his hotel, the executive expressed caution and doubt about the role of coordinated government action

"We have been hearing a lot about global solutions here," he said, "but frankly there now are so many uncertainties in our business that I fear what Mr. Baldrige and others say won't mean much and represents talk from the politicians, not action that

will affect me." Interviews with dozens of business leaders at-tending the annual World Economic Forum, a symposium here that ended Thursday, indicated that the West German executive was far from alone. There was widespead wariness, frustration, fear and even hostility among businessmen to government officials' repeated calls for coordinated action to enhance growth in industrialized and developing countries.

Coordinated action is expected to be a major topic at the Tokyo summit meeting of Western leaders scheduled for May.

"Last year here business and government leaders were very upbeat about the future," said R. T.

McNamar, a former U.S. deputy Treasury secretary who now is a managing partner in a new U.S. company, New Financial Services Venture Partnership. "But this year, the business mood here is far more cautions, very wary about the future, while government policymakers are still very up-

The uncertainty is said to arise from a number of factors, including falling oil prices and the dollar and Third World debt. There are also fears that such U.S. initiatives as the Baker plan for easing the world debt crisis and President Ronald Reagan's call Thesday to consider international mone-tary changes will not provide what businessmen and government leaders said was the crucial miss-

ing element — growth.

There was feeling of uplift in Western economies here last year, stemming from the perception that the United States would act as the economic locomotive, but this year there is a cloud," said Quentin Davies, a director of Morgan, Grenfell & Co., a London-based merchant bank. That cloud,

the question we are all asking is: Where is the business growth going to come from?"

Tara Sarik, chairman of the Enka Holding Investment Co. of Turkey, which has substantial sales in the Middle East, added: "Of course it will be tougher on our business everywhere because of the coldination."

Growing frustration with cumbersome govern-(Continued on Page 15, Col. 1)

U.K. Ends Talks On Selling Unit Of BL to Ford

LONDON - The British government, giving way to intense po-litical pressure, announced Thurs-day that it had ended preliminary discussions on the possibility of selling the Austin Rover car subsidiary of state-owned BL PLC to Ford Motor Co.

Such a sale would have extracted the government from another na-tionalized industry but would have left nearly the entire British car-

making industry in U.S. ownership. Paul Channon, Britain's new trade and industry secretary, said the government still hoped for an early sale to General Motors Corp.
of BL's unprofitable truck and
Land Rover heavy-duty vehicle operations. He also said he hoped Austin Rover and Ford would consider other opportunities for col-laboration, short of an acquisition.

The discussions between Ford and BL, disclosed earlier this week, stirred up strong protests.

Edward Heath, a former Conservative prime minister, said he would resist "in every way possible the proposal to sell out the remainder of the British motor industry to the U.S." More than 30 Conservative members of Parliament refused to support the government after a debate on the matter Wednesday.

Neil Kinnock, leader of the opposition Labor Party, said the gov-ernment would be serving Austin Rover "gift-wrapped to a foreign competitor" after spending billions of pounds of public money on the

Ford accounted for about 26.5 percent of British car sales last year, and Austin Rover 18 percent. The only other major British maker of passenger cars, Vauxhall Motors Ltd., a unit of GM, had a 17-percent share of the market last year.

Sam Toy, chairman of Ford's British subsidiary, said Thursday that an acquisition of Austin Rover by Ford "could have created a British-based manufacturing group capable of competing on a world scale." But be added that Ford "always realized that there would be

Announcing the decision, Mr. Channon said the government wanted to end uncertainty over Austin Rover's future that might have hurt its trade relationships. One such relationship is Austin Rover's cooperation with Honda Motor Co. of Japan, which would have been jeopardized by any link with Ford.

The British decision is a blow to Ford's efforts to reverse a sharp decline in European profits through cost-saving collaboratioo with large rivals. Last year, Ford and Fiat SpA broke off negotia-tions that were aimed at close cooperation or merger of their European

As part of its policy of "privati-zation," the government plans to sell Unipart, a BL unit involved in distributing spare parts, in a place-ment of shares with institutional

In the six months ended last June 30, BL as a whole had a loss of £44.8 million (\$63 million) on sales of £1.68 billion.

Britain Offers ITC £50 Million

LONDON - Britain made a conditional offer of £50 million (about \$70 million) in cash for rescuing the tin market at an emergency session of the Inter-national Tin Council, ITC dele-

gates said Thursday.

The money would be used to help finance a proposed rescue plan for the FIC, which owes creditors hundreds of millions of pounds sterling. It would be contigent on ITC members contributing £100 million, or £120 million if banks and brokers raised their contribution by £10 million to £15 million from the £70 million offered earlier this

The £50 million would replace an earlier offer of an in-

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After Default, Osborne Will Cease Operations

The Associated Press FREMONT, California - Osborne Computer, which made the first portable computer, has ceased operations and will be liquidated, ac-

cording to creditors.

The company's official creditors committee said Wednesday that Osborne has defaulted on a \$6-million debt to creditors.

They said they had asked the federal bank-

ruptcy court to declare Osborne io default of the terms of its Chapter 11 reorganization. Osborne Computer, formed in 1981 by Adam Osborne, produced the Osborne 1, the first portable computer.

The company had more than \$100 million in revenue during its second year, but in September 1983 it sought court protection from creditors. A reorganization plan was approved in August 1984, and since then the company main-ly has been a distributor for computer products made by other companies.

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NEW DELHI — Tax officials said Thursday that they have raided India's largest shoe manufacturer. Bata India Ltd., in the latest

er. Bata India Ltd., in the latest campaign to unearth untaxed or "black" money.

The raid was the first involving a company partly owned by foreign shareholders. Leader AG of Switzerland controls 40 percent of Buta, which has annual sales of more than \$167 million.

Officials said it seized documents from Bata offices in four Indian cities. The action was part of a seven-month government drive of a seven-month government drive

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rose 4.6 percent, to about 17.1 billion Deutsche marks (\$7.1 billion). in 1985. The company did not give the 1984 figures.

Wolfgang Schieren, the managing board chairman, gave oo net profit figure for the year, but said that Allianz expected to pay at least an unchanged 11-DM dividend on 1985 results.

He indicated that earnings from the group's worldwide investment portiolio were robust and that the core insurance business had improved markedly, particularly in such domestic non-life-insurance areas as motor insurance.

Because of a major restructuring last year, in which direct insurance operations were set apart from a holding company, a comparison of 1985 results with 1984's would involve distortinns, Mr. Schieren said. Net profit figures for the hold-ing group, Allianz AG Holding, will be released in July, he said.

For 1984, Allianz, then known as Allianz-Versicherungs AG, had net profit of 256.2 million DM, barely changed from 254.9 million DM a year earlier

Mr. Schieren said that last year's growth in premium income trailed slightly the 6.3-percent expansion in 1984. He said the decline of the dollar's value against the mark chiefly accounted for the slowdown. He said the dollar's retreat cut premium income by 440 million DM last year.

He suggested that while the weaker dollar enhanced the appeal of buying a U.S. insurance group, the lack of major improvement in the noo-life-insurance sector in the United States had stalled any takeover activity that Allianz might be considering. Mr. Schieren has said that Allianz was interested in acquiring a mid- to large-sized insurer in the United States, which is the are ready to resume oegotiations oy's exposure to dollar fluctua-

U.S. operations would show a net profit for 1985, with Allianz's U.S. life-insurance business posting earnings large enough to compensate for a loss, albeit reduced, at its

Allianz's agreement last month to buy a British insurer, Cornhill Insurance PLC, from BTR Industries PLC for £305 million (\$427 million) would hardly exhaust the group's "war chest" for further acquisitions, company executives

Mr. Schieren said that foreign premium income, accounting for 17 percent of the total, showed an 8-percent decline in Deutsche mark terms, to 2.9 billion DM, despite being on average 10 percent higher when measured in local currency. In 1984, foreign premiums rose 18 percent and accounted for 19 per-

cent of total premium income. Domestic underwriting income climbed 7.5 percent last year, after a 3.6-percent increase in 1984, he

asid, without providing figures.
The chairman said the group's 1985 premium total does not include net premium income of about 4.5 billion DM at Rinnione Adriatics di Signata S.A. Abba in Taliana. tica di Sicurta SpA, the big Italian insurance group in which Allianz intends to increase its current 44percent stake to 51 percent by April 1987.

Argyll Raises Distillers Bid To £2.3 Billion Cash, Stock

LONDON - The battle for coutrol of Distillers Co., Britain's largest whiskey maker, took a new turn Thursday when Argyll PLC, the big supermarket group, raised an earlier bid to £2.3 billion, or about \$3.2 billion.

The offer, a mixture of shares and cash, replaced an earlier £1.8billion bid rejected by Distillers and tops a rival £2.2-billion offer

from the Guinness brewing empire.

Distillers, whose brands include Johnny Walker Scotch whisky and Gordon's gin, is recommending that its shareholders accept the offer from Guinness, which last year acquired Scotland's second largest Scotch whisky distiller, Bell's.

Argyll is suing Distillers and Guinness for allegedly agreeing illegally that Distillers would pay the costs of the Guinness takeover. The government said Wednesday that it also was looking into the

Argyll said its new offer would be made on the basis of 11 new Argyll ordinary shares, 10 new convertible preference shares and £15 in cash for every 10 Distillers ordinary shares.

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Argyl said the new orier would involve the issue of 393.4 million new ordinary shares and 357.6 million new convertible preference shares, representing about 69.9 percent of its expended, fully diluted share capital following the offer.

Alternatively, it offered Distillers shareholders the option of accepting 600 pence per share in cash or receiving all or part of the cash alternative house.

ement in Argyll shares. The Guinness offer accepted by Distillers entails the exchange of eight new ordinary Guinness shares and 700 pence cash for every five

Distillers shares.

In its first bid, Argyll offered eight ordinary, 10 convertible preference and £14.50 cash for every 10 Distillers ordinary.

Argyll said that, effective Wednesday, it had been tendered 8.7 million Distillers shares, or 2.4 percent of the total, under its original offer. This resid its Distillers states of 2.02 percent, it said. offer. This raised its Distillers stake to 3.93 percent, it said.

Distillers did not immediately comment on the new Argyll offer.

COMPANY NOTES

wan's government-owned bank, union, which represents EAL's may acquire Cathay Investment & Trust Co., a unit of the financially troubled Cathay industrial group, a Finance Ministry official said. He said the unit had informed the ministry that it was unable to repay its British Monopolies Commiss estimated debts of more than \$425

East African Breweries, of Nairobi, has signed an agreement with U.S. beer distributor to market (about \$203 million). Kenyan beer in the United States beginning in June.

Bank of Communications, Tai- strike deadline. Talks between the that timing had not been decided 4,000 pilots, and the Miami-based carrier broke off on Jan. 26.

Petrofina SA's proposed acquisition of Charterhouse Petroleum PLC will not be referred to the the Department of Trade and Industry announced. Petrofina in December made an offer for Charterhouse that it valued at £145 million

Eastern Airlines' pilots said they change to help offset the compagroup's largest foreign market. with the carrier in hopes of reachtions. A company spokesman said Spain last He said that Allianz's existing ing an agreement before a Feb. 26 a listing was being considered, but lefonica.

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KLM Earnings Doubled in 3d Quarter NOTICE OF EARLY REDEMPTION

AMSTERDAM - KLM Royal guilders in the final quarter. Dutch Airlines said Thursday that its net income in the third quarter

ended Dec. 31 more than doubled from a year earlier, to 39 millioo guilders (\$14.4 million) from 19.1 said the results pushed nine-month of the 55 percent of its shares that earnings to 342.7 million guilders are held by the Dutch government.

from 338.5 million. But it said it It said further details would be anexpects oet in the year ending nounced as soon as a prospectus is March 31 "to be in line with" the filed with th 290 million guilders it earned a year Exchange and the U.S. Securities earlier, suggesting that it expects to and Exchange Commission.

report a loss of about 50 million

Revenue slipped to 1.36 billion guilders in the quarter from 1.37 billion a year earlier, but rose to 4.62 billion from 4.31 billion in the

nine months, it said. Separately, KLM said it would The government-owned carrier shortly offer to the public a portion

ket Search Inc., a market research

firm in Toledo, Ohio, estimated

that plastic containers in this cate-

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What to do with plastics after their initial use has long been a

coocern of environmentalists.

Around 47 billion pounds of the

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The industry has just dedicated a

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op new technology. Currently, about 20 percent of plastic soft-drink bottles are recycled, produc-

ing products ranging from filler for ski jackets to car bumpers.

percent by 1996.

Plastics Become Respectable

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not the lower cost of the material, which is formed from intricate molecular arrangements of carboo and hydrogen compounds, called polymers, but rather that plastics can help turn out a better product.
The idea that plastics represent

quality is at odds with a generally M held impression of "cheapness" and inferiority that the material has never quite been able to shed. "Polyester," for example, referring to a fabric made of plastic fibers, is still equated with inexpensive clothing, even though polyester can be found in the most expensive of

garments. Lately, the radical improvements made in plastics are forcing Detroit, among others, to take a second look.

The aim of the automakers, analysts said, is to try to leapfrog the cost advantage of the Japanese while increasing quality and productivity. Plastics offer fuel savings through weight reduction and makes styling changes easier.

GM bas scored a success with its

plastic-paneled Pontiac Fiero and is said to be planning a total of seven models with plastic skins by 1990. Interest is also growing in developing cars with plastic

lo the food industry, the development of plastic containers is threatening conventional can and

The development of the microwave oven has been a major force behind the move to plastic containers, industry analysts said. Campbell, for example, now sells frozen dinners in plastic plates that can be reheated in microwave or conventional ovens and it is test-marketing soups, some frozen, that come plastic bowls.

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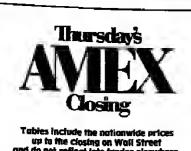
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Japanese Firms Apply To Join Dutch Bourse

AMSTERDAM — Several Japanese security brokerages have applied for membership on the Amsterdam Stock Exchange, bourse sources said Thursday,
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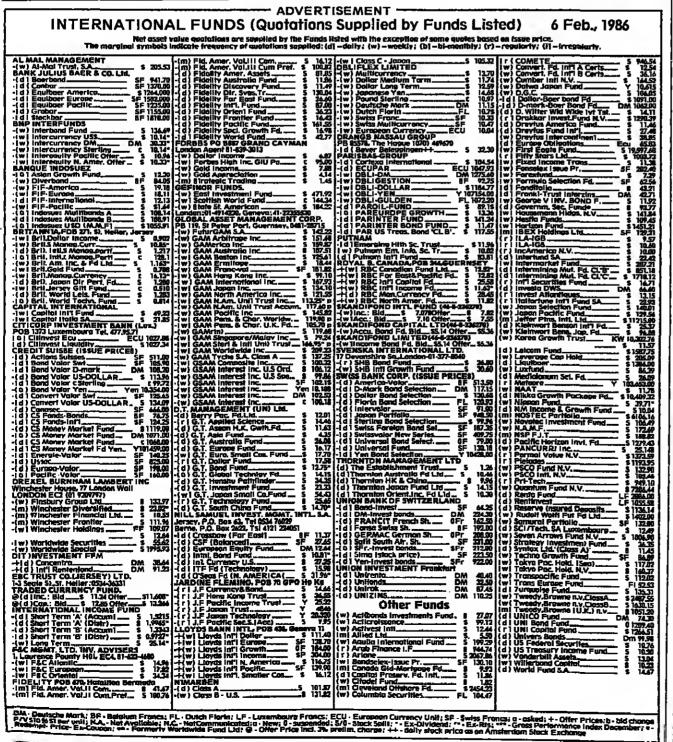
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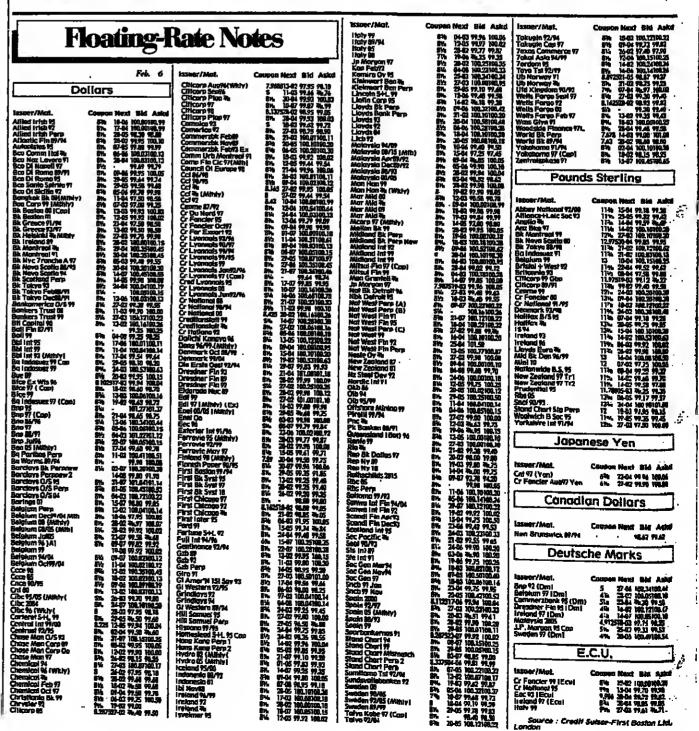
A bourse spokesman declined comment on press reports that Yamaichi, Nomura Europe NV and Daiwa Europe NV would be granted membership soon.

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Holiday Inns Names Regional Managing Director

By Brenda Erdmann

nutional Herald Tribune LONDON — Holiday Inns Inc., which has emharked on a program to increase the number of hotels it has in Europe, the Middle East and Africa, has appointed Sigi Bergmann senior vice president and

managing director for those areas. He will be based in the group's European headquarters in London. For the past two years, Mr. Bergmann has been vice president and managing director for Europe.

He takes over responsibilities for the Middle East and Africa from Alain Ammar, who has moved to Miami as Holiday Inns' senior vice president and managing director for the Caribbean, Mexico and Latin America. Mr. Ammar succeeds Gerd Jacob, who is moving to the headquarters of Holiday Inns in

Gian Luca Brazgiotti will be the operations, succeeds Alden Nor- GmbH, succeeds Rune Blomgren Europe to serve small and medium- a Lexington, Massachusetts-hased itself part of Asea AB.

Irving Trust Co. of New York appliances. said Andrew F. Bastone has been Veryball appointed chief executive officer of Trans City Holdings Ltd., a Sydney-based investment bank in which Irving Trust has purchased a 50-percent stake, Mr. Bastone formerly was representative for Irving Trust in Manila

Nippon Trust & Barking Co. said it plans to open a representative office in London on Feb. 24. Named chief representative is Toshihiro Suzuki, who was in the international finance section in the Tokyo headquarters.

Raytheon Co. said Reinder W.

maker of electronics, aircraft and

Vanxball Motors Ltd. has named John G. Bagshaw managing direc-tor, succeeding John M. Fleming. who moves to Zmich to join the newly formed General Motors Europe-Passenger Cars organization as vice president in charge of sales in Europe. The board of Vauxhall Motors, the British arm of General

Asea AB, the Swedish electrical and electronics engineering concern, said Christer Samuelsson has

managing director of MicroAge man, who resigned to pursue per- who is retiring. AB Dahrentrad. Europe, a chain of computer stores sonal interests but will remain a which is based near Goteborg, is a the companies are setting up across consultant to Badger. Raytheon is member of the Asea Kabel group,

> Korn/Ferry International, the executive search firm with headquarters in New York and Los Angeles, said Roger Soole has been promoted to partner and vice president in its Paris office.

NCR Corp. has named Patrick Mill vice president, financial sys-tems division, European group. He is succeeded as division director for Motors Corp., elected Mr. Bag- financial systems in Britain by shaw chairman in place of Mr. Roger Allen, who was area managfinancial systems in Britain by er, financial major accounts, for NCR U.K. Mr. Mill and Mr. Allen are based in London.

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CURRENCY MARKETS

Dollar Firms After Fed Rate Action

Compiled by Our Staff From Disputches NEW YORK - The dollar recovered from early losses in U.S. trading Thursday to close mainly unchanged, after the Federal Reserve drained liquidity from the banking system.

New York dealers said the dollar began gaining right after the Fed arranged matched sales-repurchase agreements in the securities markets, a move that acts to firm interest rates by draining money from the banking system.

Despite the recovery, however, Hewlett-Packard Ltd., the British dealers said the market was "very arm of the U.S.-based maker of arm of the U.S.-based maker of sluggish," with nothing to give it electronic instruments, has named direction. They noted that many Robert E. Ford director of finance market professionals expect the and administration, succeeding U.S. currency to decline further in Alan Wilson, who has taken over coming weeks, but that few are the new post of director of corpo-willing to take positions until the ously was with Northern Telecom clearer. PLC as director of business analy-

2.3970 Deutsche marks, up from

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and an earlier low of 189.50. The U.S. currency also rose to 2.0290 Swiss francs from 2.0210, and to 7.3475 French francs from 7.3185.

In earlier trading in Europe, the dollar closed in London at 2.3908 DM, up from Wednesday's finish of 2.3855; at 2.0213 Swiss francs. up from 20170, and at 7,2980 French francs, down from 7,3190. In other European markets

Thursday, the dollar was fixed at midafternoon in Frankfurt at 2.3865 DM, down from 2.4061 at the Wednesday fixing, and at 7.3195 French francs in Paris, down from 7,3735.

Dealers said that comments this week by U.S. officials suggesting that a further downward correction in the dollar is needed to help cut In New York, the dollar closed at the record trade deficit have put pressure on the currency. The re-

2.3895 on Wednesday and an early trading low of 2.3750, and at 190.75 that the U.S. Federal Reserve may yen, up from 190.55 on Wednesday soon cut its benchmark discount rate, they said.

The British pound, meanwhile, recovered to \$1,3995 at the close in London from \$1.3910 on Wednesday, and to 3,3393 DM from 3,3233. In later trading in New York, it closed at \$1,3965, virtually unchanged from \$1,3950 there on Wednesday

Dealers said that sterling traded quietly for most of the session in a tracking movement of the dollarmark rate. They said the focus was mostly off oil as crude prices stabilized during the day.

London dealers said the pound appears to be consolidating around current levels. Although few are willing to buy heavily because of continuing uncertainty about oil prices, selling pressure has fallen off, they noted.

Many at Davos Are Skeptical of Global 'Solutions'

(Continued from Page 11) ment regulations and conflicting ments," policies, notably in Latin America and China, also surfaced.

For example, Hector Hurtado Navarro, minister of state and president of the Investment Fund of Venezuela, had just finished describing the government's program to diversify sway from oil, in part

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by attracting foreign investment.
"Admittedly you have made progress," responded Peter Frankel, managing director of an Australian trading company. "But what about all the delays in getting import li-censes, the time it takes to get the approvals to sell consumer prod-ucts, such as condensed milk products, and preferences your government shows to other Latin American countries when it comes to importing?"

Mr. Hurtado Navarro acknowledged that the government still faced "difficulties" in "rationalizing our foreign trade." But he said: "We are making progress trying to improve access to our market."

Similarly, Zhu Rongji, deputy out all forms of subsidies, he drew minister of China's State Economic Commission, said at a seminar that China planned to increase its outlays for imports of plant and equip-ment in 1986-1990 by \$20 billion.

However, several businessmen with considerable experience in dealing with China were skeptical and confused about how government decentralization would affect

Mr. Zhu assured them that Beijing was attempting to "compromise centralization and decentralization." But, he finally conceded, The answer to many of your questions is -- you have to come to China and negotiate, that's what has to be done." His reponse drew much laughter.

Europeans also expressed annoyance with governments closer to home. Martin Bangemann, West Germany's economics minister, was warmly received when he said that the European Community's Limits on dairy products, how- agricultural policy was "disastrous, ever, would remain in force, he a costly burden on the taxpayer

exist to defend our balance of payhe added that Western Europe banks, nor guaranteeing bank
should accelerate efforts to phase claims against debt-burdened de-

cries of "bravo." The theme of the weeklong fo-rum was "courage for global ac-

In his welcome speech, Klaus Schwab, the forum's founder and president, conceded that "the conditions for doing sound interna-

tional business have deteriorated." Thus, Mr. Baldrige called for more stimulative policies in the European Community and Japan. Jean Godeaux, president of the Bank for International Settlements, praised the so-called Baker plan, which calls for more commercial lending to debtor nations, as cism. A senior Dutch banker, ad-"one of the most important developments in the history" of relations between Western banks and developing countries.

finance minister and chairman of carned my salary." the International Monetary Fund's interim committee, said the IMF would continue pressing for cuts in aunched the first symposium in world interest rates. But he also 1971 with a private loan of 50,000 cantioned that "there would be no said. "Many currency regulations and should be gotten rid of." When willingness to bail out commercial

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veloping countries.

Many bankers and businessmen expressed frastration and a desire to relate "global action" to their own comorate strategies.

Indeed, some participants who paid 10,600 Swiss francs (\$5,300) each to attend said they wished that the sessions had offered more debate between policymakers and business leaders and focused more on the needs and problems of busi-

They also complained about the absence of French and Italian government ministers.

Others brushed off such critijusting his ski bindings for a run on the slopes overlooking Davos, said: "the importance is making contacts, and I have just concluded a And Herman O. Ruding, Dutch major contract in Africa which has Mr. Schwab, a business profes-

sor at the University of Geneva, Swiss francs. "Our objective is to have a world



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Zhu Rongji: Trying to "compromise centralization and decentralization."

business summit," he said. "We had 52 countries, 44 people of min-isterial rank, this year, and it is difficult to satisfy everyone." absent this year because of the

Market Quiet Before Bond Auction in U.S.

By Christopher Pizzey LONDON — The dollar sectors count of around 1.83 percent, beof the Eurobond market were basi- fore slipping to finish at a discount

much happened at all today," one mented. trader said.

ligible, dealers added.

Wednesday's deluge of new issues was not repeated Thursday. for five years, but do pay a coupon The lull, traders said, gave the mar-fets a chance to start absorbing the lifficult to satisfy everyone." bonds. Consequently, a lot of at-He said French ministers were tention was focused on when-issued trading in Wednesday's \$1- cised they are redeemable on matubillion bond for Canada.

The issue was actively traded throughout the day, rising to a dis-

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cally quiet ahead of Thursday of 2.02 percent.
night's U.S. Treasury auction of \$7
billion of 30-year bonds, dealers
the total fees, traders were pleased with the liquidity of the issue. "This "Everyone's waiting for the out- could well become a benchmark for come of the anction; there's not the 10-year area," a dealer com-

One new dollar-straight issue The dollar-straight sector gener-ally finished is to is point easier normal trading. a \$100-million with some nervousness emerging warrant bond for Associates Corp. late in the day as fears grew that the of North America. The 10-year Gramm-Rudman law, which was bond pays 9½ percent and was designed to balance the U.S. bud-priced at 101. It is callable after five ger, may soon be ruled unconstitu- years at 10112, declining by 1; pertional. But actual selling was not cent per year to par thereafter, It significant. Retail activity was neg- bas one million warrants, each priced at \$8.

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quoted the issue around its total fees of 2 percent while the warrants were quoted at \$81; to \$9 each.

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The other new issue seen in London was a 40-million-New-Zea-land-dollar bond for Banque Internationale à Luxembourg. The borrower is acting in a fiduciary capacity for Groupe Bruxelles Lambert, to whom the proceeds will be lent.

The issue pays 18 percent over three years and was priced at 1001; ercent. Lead manager was Banque Paribas Capital Markets.

Dealers noted that there was speculation during the morning that a U.S. corporate borrower was about to tap the New Zealand dollar market. However, market sources said that a late decision was taken not to launch the bond.

Floating-rate-note trading was basically quiet with period Eurodollar deposit rates showing few changes throughout the session, dealers added.

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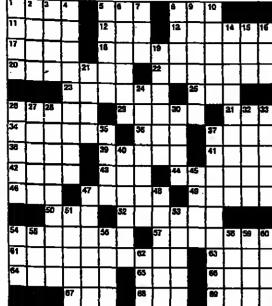
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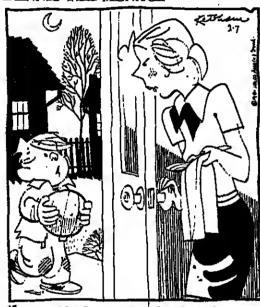
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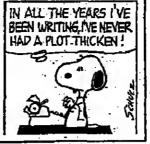
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ENTRANCES: An American Director's Journey

By Alan Schneider. Preface by Edward Albee. Illustrated. 416 pages. \$25. Viking Inc., 40 West 23d Street, New York, N. Y. 10010.

Reviewed by Michiko Kakurani

WHEN he died two years ago at the age of 66, Alan Schneider left behind a consider-

able body of theatrical work.

He had worked on Broadway and off, in regional theaters in the United States and abroad, and he had earned a reputation as one of the pre-eminent American directors of work by Samuel Beckett, Edward Albee, Harold Pinter, Bertolt Brecht and Michael Weller. Nine days before he was struck and killed by a motorcycle in London, he turned in the manu-script of this book — the first volume of his autobiography, which chronicles his life up

through 1966.
Although Schneider displayed a catholicity Although Schneider displayed a catholicity of taste over the years — among his early efforts were stagings of such plays as Thornton Wilder's "Skin of Our Teeth," Robert Anderson's "All Summer Long" and Clifford Odets's "Country Girl" — he would become best known for his more experimental work, and in one of the few passages of self-ass-assment in this volume he makes it clear where his affinitive law.

"I am the only American theater director who ever went from the avant-garde to the Old Guard without having passed through the Es-tablishment," he writes. "I have always favored the poetic over the prostic, siding with instinct over reason, swayed by the power of symbols, images, metaphors, all of the substances lurking behind the closed eyelids of the mind. To me, these are more faithful signs of essential truths than all those glossy photographs that seek to mirror our external world. I've always preferred Chekhov to Ibsen, Tennessee Wil-liams to Arthur Miller, and Dostoevski to Tolstoy, but Beckett's metaphors reach deep-

est into my subconscious self." In "Entrances," however, Schneider opts for a highly conventional, chronological account of his life —an account laden with facts, dates, quotations from reviews and relatively devoid of introspection and philosophical meditation. There are brief, generalized discussions of his relationship with Lee Strasberg and the Actors Studio — "Lee also made me think differently

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about what a director does, as well as about how and why he does it" — but the tensions between the Method and more technical, will-

fully theatrical approaches are glossed over. milarly, Schneider's desire to see the establishment of some sort of permanent national theater in the United States is noted in passing, as is his antipathy toward Broadway and the commercial theater. Yet if his reluctance to interpret, his unwillingness to impose his own personality on material at hand, made him a thly valued writer's director - both Beckett and Albee have praised his devotion to their texts — it tends to make him a less than

"Entrances" not only lacks the contentious tone that made, say, Peter Hall's diaries so controversial, but it also lacks their energetic point of view and sense of self-dramatization. Starting with his childhood memories of Russia, Schneider details how his parents fled to America after the 1917 revolution. He goes on, in plodding prose, to chronicle his boyhood in Hartford and in Baltimore, and to chronicle his difficulties in choosing a career. It is not that we are uninterested in Schneider's attempts to lose his virginity or get a part in a

play, it is that he does not make us care. None of the director's notable skills in giving a work dramatic shape are in evidence in the first half of this volume: he takes a perfunctory, all-inclusive approach that, in giving equal weight to every incident and detail in his life, ends up making everything seem bland.

It is only when Schneider meets Samuel

Beckett - an event that also galvanized the director's career - that "Entrances" assumes a sense of vitality. Whereas Schneider's portraits of Helen Hayes and Elia Kazan are so sketchy as to feel like crasures, whereas his reminis cences of previous productions become dull litanies of casting problems, rehearsal prob-lems and reviews, his account of working with Beckett tingles with humor, awe and genuine eppreciation.

Having been signed up to direct the first American production of "Waiting for Godot", in 1955, Schneider spends a week looking for the clusive writer in Paris and finally succeeds in trying to get him to answer his questions

about the play.

"According to him," Schneider writes.

"'Godot' had 'no meaning' and 'no symbolism.' There was no 'general point of view involved,' but it was certainly 'not existentialist.' Nothing in it meant anything other than what it was on the surface. It's just about two people who are like that.' That was all he would

"Godot" did not get off to an auspicious start: it opened to a befuddled andience in Coral Gables, Florida, who had come to see "the Laugh Sensation of Two Continents." Bert Lahr, who played Pstragon, kept insisting that as the show's "top banana" he deserved to get all the laughs. By the time the show reached Broadway, both Schneider and Tom Ewell, as Vladimir, had been replaced.

The collaboration between Schneider and Beckett, however, endures, and the director staged many of the playwright's subsequent works, as well as a film (titled, in typical Beckett manner, "Film") starring Buster Keaton. And while the reader may have difficulty slogging through the preceding chapters, those on Beckett and his work prove so touching and amusing that they are worth the wait,

Michiko Kakutani is on the staff of The New

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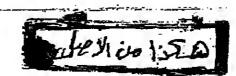
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SPORTS

Magic Johnson of the Lakers rates highest in the league this season.

NBA's Best: Going Through the Numbers With Larry Bird

By Thomas Boswell startled opponent. Bird hardly could bear to discuss his WASHINGTON - Whatever Larry little system since "there's so much it doesn't include." Like what? Bird says about basketball is well worth istening to. So it seemed worthy of note "Oh, the pass that leads to the pass recently when Bird, icing down two an-

Washington Post Service

kles and one elbow after his Boston Cettics had beaten the Washington Bul-

lets, mentioned that, since high school,

he had had a simple statistical system for

Bird is usually the inarticulate em-

bodiment of the inexpressible. Neither he, nor anyone else, can explain how

someone who cannot run, cannot jump,

has a pot stomach and pulpy legs, can do almost everything on a basketball court

Cliched as the comparison seems, Bird brings Zen priociples to hardwood

games. Mostly, his eyes move. Seeing more than others, be moves less. When

he does act, it is with a deliberate sort of

suddenness, too precise to he called quick. No player is so in tune with so

Every few seconds, he makes a correct instantaneous decision, often before

anyone else recognizes the pattern of

events. And he never stops making these correct evaluations ontil he has made

another open jump shot, tipped another

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rating players.

that sets up a basket. Or which direction you tip a loose ball so the other team doesn't get an easy basket. I had to talk to Bill Walton about that when he got here. He hadn't thought much about it. Or maybe how well you block out a good rebounder. You can't measure leadership, either.

As we see, the Bird system is surely no more than 99 percent pure. It just cannot measure which way you tip those vital

So, exalted teacher, what's the deal? Give a player one point for: every point he scores and every rebound, assist, steal or blocked shot he gets. Then subtract one point for: every missed shot or missed free throw, every personal foul and every turnover.

Then, of course, work out the player's average rating by dividing by the number of games he has played. No theoretical justification for this system will be offered here. For two reasons: 1) Bird endorses it, 2) the results

it gives are not good, they are nearly perfect rebound to himself, passed behind his neck to a teammate or dived to slap a miliar to quality coaches. What is fasci-

loose ball out of bounds off the knee of a nating is that nobody bothers to use it to rate the NBA's stars.

Let's look at this year's midseason ratings of the NBA's best. What other statistic gives such satisfactory and illuminating conclusions?

First team: Magic Johnson (plus 28), Bird (26.3), Akeem Olajuwon (24), Kevin McHale (23.3), Adrian Dantley (23), Dominique Wilkins (22), Larry Nance (22), Charles Barkley (21), Alex English (20.9) and Isiah Thomas (20.7). Second team: Kareem Abdul-Jabbar

(20.3), Moses Malone (20.3), Jeff Ruland (20), Orlando Woolridge (19.1), Bill Laimbeer (19), Marques Johnson (19), James Worthy (18.7), Maurice Cheeks (18.7), Clyde Drexler (18.7) and Robert Parish (18.5).

Third team: Jack Sikma (18.5), Sidney Moncrief (18.3), Buck Williams (18.1), Andre Robertson (17.8), Patrick Ewing

Andre Robertson (17.5), Patrick Ewing (17.7), Ralph Sampson (17.6), Purvis Short (17.4), Sleepy Floyd (17.3), Mark Agnire (17.2) and Artis Gilmore (16.9). For comparison, last season's top five were in order: Bird, Magic Johnson, the now-injured Michael Jordan, Malone and the now-injured Bernard King. The first thought that leaps to mind is that Sunday's NBA all-star game is go-ing to begin with several semi-frauds in

the starting lineups.

Except for the Magic Man, the fans

center. Once upon a time, 10 years ago, Abdul-Jabbar rated at the fantasy level of 36.9. But that is history.

The Rockets' Sampson cannot approach Dantley's level at forward, even if he is a foot (30 centimeters) taller. Dantley, a fabulously efficient scorer for Utah who does everything else decently, never gets his due. Sampson, flawed by turnovers and fouls, blocks few shots and misses foul shots. Nance, unsung in Phoenix, scores as well as the Lakers' Worthy and he rebounds and passes bet-

Sad to say, Julius Erving is no longer the Doc. In his prime, he was a 24 or 25, just a notch below Bird. Now, he is an old 15.4. The fellow who should start in his place is Boston's McHale, the most underrated player today. He can score (22.5) and shoot a high percentage (55) while rebounding and blocking shots with the best forwards.

The game's rising stars all appear here. The ferocious Round Mound of Re-bound, Philadelphia's Burkley, already is part thief and part bully and could get even better. The breathtaking human highlight film, Atlanta's Wilkins, can move up to the Erving level if he polishes his short selection, passing and shot

Olajuwon, the heart of the Houston ... It is nice to report that the only teams Rockets, has passed the Los Angeles with three players among the top 30 are Lakers' Abdul-Jabbar in total value at the Lakers, Celtics and 76crs. They still are probably the game's cream.

Also, as might be assumed in any Bird system, one-dimensional gunners are slaughtered here. Our Overrated Team of players high among the scoring leaders who have no other significant skills include: Mike Mitchell (13), Jeff Malone (14.2), World B. Free (15.4) and Kiki Vandeweghe (16.3).

At this point, of course, the quiet voice of history calls us. If this system is so good, what does it say about the certified all-timers?

Unfortunately, the NBA did not keep records of blocked shots, steals and turn-overs until recent years. So a lot of gues-

Nonetheless, gentlemen named Elgin Baylor and Jerry West rise near the top at about the plus-25 level. Oscar Robertson flirted with a career mark of 30. And Bill Russell, the most successful, and probably the best player ever, would have been even higher—about 32 or 33. So we have the ideal basketball nur

Occopsi Forgot Wilt Chamberlain. A plus-40 for his whole career. Sorry, nothing is perfect.



Larry Bird rates steals and blocks as equal to points and rebounds.

NHL Seeking Soviet Series For All-Stars

The Associated Press QUEBEC - The National Hockey League is attempting to replace its all-star game next year with a two-game series pitting an NHL all-star team against the Soviet Union's national team, the league's president, John Ziegler, said Wednesday.

The series, proposed by the Que-bec Nordiques president, Marcel Aubut, and approved Tuesday by all but "two or three" of the league's board of governors, hinges on a new collective agreement being worked out between the league and its player's association, Ziegler

"Everything is subject to a new agreement, but we have the summer to work on that," Ziegler said.

Another potential drawback to
the series, which the NHL hopes to play between Feb. 9-15 to coincide with Quebec's Winter Carnival, is that the Soviet team has yet to be invited, and consequently has yet

"We have contingency plans if thy don't accept," said Alan Eag-leson, executive director of the NHL Player's Association.

If all does go well, players for the NHL team will be chosen by ability. Past all-star game squads have been represented by at least one player from each team in the Wales Conference and the Campbell Con-

'It will be all Edmonton, that's what I'll recommend," said the Oilers' owner, Peter Pocklington. "La creme de la creme.

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Soccer

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Knicks Lose Two Players

NEW YORK - The New York

Cnicks were dealt a double setback Wednesday when they learned that both Bill Cartwright and Pat Cummings will undergo surgery and are done for the season. Cartwright will undergo a bone

graft Tuesday on the lifth metatar-sal bone in his left foot. The foot has been broken three times, and may have been broken again Jan. 25 as Cartwright played in only his second game in two seasons.

Cummings has missed the last 12 games with chronic tendinitis in his right ankle. The tendon sheath is damaged and needs corrective sur-

■ Dailey Enters Clinic

Quintin Dailey of the Chicago Bulls voluntarily entered a drug re-habilitation center Wednesday for the second time this season, after failing to show up for Tuesday's game or Wednesday's practice, Associated Press reported.

The team said the gnard had been suspended without pay.



Herol Graham of Britain landed a right, then took Ayub Kalule's European middleweight title Wednesday night in Sheffield, England. The fight was stopped in the 10th round.

Sails Set, Spies Sent for World Yacht Championship

Championships as the countdown Royal Yacht Trophy in 1851.

begins for the 1987 America's Cup.

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Solution through Feb. 2: Valuable guide to the America's Cup, which will be decided in the same waters in early 1987.

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Even so, Al stablemate, the designed Australia Cordon Lucas Beashel, 27, will assembly a see what potential rivals are up to.

Syndicates from the United States, Italy, France, Canada, New Zealand and Britain are anxious to test their boats and crews alongside its two boats, by burna after the mouthed bird.

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The New York Yacht Club.

ternational yachting spies have campaigning with America II lation was rescinded at the last mo-moved into the screne fishing port (US42), one two new boats to bear ment, but it came too late to allow

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Australia's other big America's other boats that have shown out-Cup contender, the Task Force '87 standing speed are French Kiss and its two boats, both named Kooka-

Task Force skipper Ian Murray under that name. Earlier, the Royal objected to proposals that would Perth Yacht Club had objected that Zealanders.

United Press International which lost the cup it had held have made design details of his the yacht's name was a violation of FREMANTLE, Australia — In- against all comers since 1870, is boats publicly available. That regu-

moved into the screene usuage port of Fremantle for Friday's start of the same name as the U.S schooner the World 12-Meter Yacht Racing that started it all by winning the Royal Yacht Trophy in 1851.

The only other America's Cup that started it all by winning the Royal Yacht Trophy in 1851.

and should do well in the heavy weather expected to prevail skipper Hans Fogh. All the yachts, with the obvious

favorite.

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Even so, Australia II and her seven boats finished within 45 secchampionships are regarded as a favorite.

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Cup, which will be decided in the stablemate, the new Ben Lexcen- onds of each other after battling

Even those cup contenders not entered in the world championships have sent their spies, designers and sail makers to Fremantle to ed to do well in the seven-race sewinds that averaged 23 knots.

The New Zealand entries look of the New Zealand entries look ships have sent their spies, designers and sail makers to Fremantle to Beashel, 27, will be at the helm of glass yachts, KZ3 and KZ5, that both are named New Zealand. Two

> Syndicate, has decided not to enter the Canadian yacht, True North. The International Racing Comburra after the country's loud- mittee made a last-minute decision allowing French Kiss to compete

The yacht's spoosor is Kis France, the giant, Paris-based phosays he is certain that his mid-gray boat, computer designed by Phi-lippe Briand, can win against the world's best.

True North is certainly the most beautiful 12-meter yacht in Fremantle as well as one of the fastest. Its helmsman is six-time Olympie

Although the two Italian boats, Italia and Azzurra, are very stylish, they seem to lack speed. Italia, skippered by Flavio Scala, and Azzurra, with Stephano Roberti at the helm, were disappointing in the

classed in this modern winged-keel

Challenge 12, the 1983 America's WBA's championship committee, Cup contender, is being cam-which will decide Witherspoon's paigned by an international crew that includes the British America's cup helmsman, Chris Law, and skipper, Harold Cudmore, and a mixture of Frenchmen and New

Test Discloses **Drug Trace in** WBA Champ

. The Associated Press

NEW YORK - A postfight test found traces of marijuana in Tim Witherspoon's system when he won the World Boxing Association heavyweight title in Atlanta last month, boxing promoter Don King

said Wednesday.

King said he had been notified of the test results Tuesday by the Georgia Boxing Commission.

Witherspoon, who took the title from Tony Tubbs on a 15-round decision Jan. 17, said Wednesday that he had smoked marijuana only once "during a party in Philadel-phia around Thanksgiving."

"That was way before the fight, way before training and every-thing," Witherspoon said. "It could not help me beat Tubbs, because you get singgish when you smoke marijuana. It doesn't help you win any competition.

He said he was susprised that it would show up in a test nearly two months later. .

Witherspoon, who was named Tuesday as the WBA's boxer of the month, said. "I let everyone down. I gave Don King my word that I was clean and that I didn't use it, but I lied.

I hope they will lon

will never do it again." Witherspoon said he had smoked the marijuana with friends who were celebrating the fact that he was getting another title shot. Witherspoon held the World Boxing Council title for about five and one-half months in 1984, before losing a 12-round decision to Pink-lon Thomas.

"I was young-minded and fool-ish and went ahead and smoked this stuff, knowing that they were testing people," Witherspoon said. "But we were happy, and I did it anyway."

The Georgia Boxing Commission chairman, Lanny Franklin, said he was bound by law to not make a public statement on the matter until after a hearing. "We have already notified the

Alberto Aleman, head of the

fate as champion, seemed more skeptical than surprised.
"I had turkey on Thanksgiving. 1

wonder if that would show up in my system," be said by phone from the WBA office in Panama.

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BRUSSELS — More than three months after Ivan Lendl won the BRUSSELS - More than three 1114 914 most ostentations trophy in tennis, another is being waged over the single state of the full-size golden racket that is studded with 1,420 diamonds. monds.

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Because of this difference, JR 30 206 102 SR 19 194 102 Groupe Joss has refused to pay Pro-serv-City 7. Groupe Joss says it did not learn about the London policy until 1984, and claims it was misled



Ivan Lendi with the racket that is worth either \$700,000 or \$250,000.

"Prosery-City 7 should have told us about the existence of that policy."

public relations showpiece for Ant-werp and the ECC tournament, which has been held there four years in a row.

He said that if the racket was

stolen or "lost in any other way, such as a plane crash," it would cost the diamond dealers \$250,000 to have a new one made. But as a trophy, he said, the racket is worth \$700,000 dollars, which includes the price of the gold and the 1,420 diamonds, plus labor costs and a profit for the ECC and the diamonds. "The higher price is what you

would pay for the racket if you would go to a jewelry shop and have it made," said Coolen. The lower value listed in the theft policy "was the replacement value." Groupe Josi lost the first round. in December, a Brussels court

ruled that the insurance company and Proserv-City 7 had agreed on a value of \$700,000. The insurance premium, of \$77,000, was paid in Groupe Josi offered to pay

\$250,000 for a new racket. Last week, an appeals court called in an independent expert, a Brussels jeweler, to judge the racket's value. That may take two to three months.

Meanwhile, plans are being made to formally present the racket in 1983 about the racket's value.

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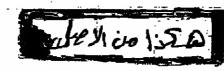
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Seeking Serious Bars

By Russell Baker NEW YORK — The bars of television commercials are not the kind of bars I give my custom

I like bars where you can be yourself. Where if you want to talk, someone will talk to you, but not

too much. Where if you feel morose and want to enjoy it, they will leave you alone to feel morose instead of haranguing you with nonsense about life being fun and hrowbeating you

to get your chin up off the floor. Such hars cannot be called friendly bars, and that's fine with me. Bars that are called friendly are themselves taverns, because they almost certainly harbor an owner who is planning to rename his place "The Friendly Tavern." For friendliness, go to your

friends. Confuse the sustenance of bars with friendship, and you can end up a human ruin. The bars I like are not friendly bars. They are serious bars.

The bars of television commercials, sad tn say, are not serious bars. One proof is that they sell nothing but beer. Serious bars also sell whiskey. Even if most customers order beer, whiskey is always available in a serious bar.

There are several reasons for this. One is that a bar with money trouble can cheat with whiskey. It can put the cheap Scotch in a bottle with an expensive label. It can put water where only whiskey ought to

Another thing: In serious bars, the customers drink. If they order whiskey, they drink it. Same with beer. When they order beer, down the gullet goes the beer. Not in the bars of TV commercials, however. Though everybody at the bar discusses beer endlessly, nobody ever drinks the stuff.

All right, in rare circumstances you can understand a person nrdering a beer and letting it just sit there. When young, foolish and poor, for instance, I used to crave the sight of thinly clad female dancers, so I haunted bars where a 50-cent beer could be nursed longer

than it rook rive ecdysiasts to peel. I see nn such excuse for beernursing in the bars of TV commercials, for anthing interesting hap-pens in them. Most are dreary

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ordered a beer because nobody had warned you against the bars of TV commercials, you would drink the beer as fast as possible so you could move on to a serious bar.

One of the more depressing bars of the TV commercials always has a bunch of retired athletes at the rail, which isn't what makes it so awful, because athletes are some of our more interesting citizens. I'd like to meet a retired athlete in a serious bar. He'd probably be a man whose best days were behind him before he was 35. He'd probably have a lot to be morose about, a lot to be philosophical about, too. He'd have stories to tell.

You will not find this interesting athlete in any of the bars of TV commercials. Instead, what you invariably get is a whole gang of men who look as if they'd seen the end of the line and decided they might as well do one last scam before a trolley pulls into the car barn.

So there they are, nagging and ragging each other cruelly about the fine beer, though if they admire it so extravagantly, why don't they

I'd like to tip the big lugs to the location of a serious bar where they can get away from each other, and hrood about coaches and bosses who used them up and threw them away, and order a whiskey that might be watered, which would entitle them to grasp the bartender by

l don't get an equally sympathet-ic sensation upon entering the bar of the TV commercial in which customers are served a variety of lights. Again nobody in the place is drinking the beer which everybody is ordering. Here, though, there may be good reason; everybody in the joint looks to be under the legal

Is this really a bar with all these kids cutting up? Could it be a fraternity house basement? College kids are all right, but no har with character would let them swarm

Watching them behave foolishly with lights in this one is enough to make a person question the whole philosophy of bars. Surely nn decent bar would give you a headache before you walk away from it.

New York Times Service

Women in Qadhafi's Libya: Winning a Few Battles

By Judith Miller New York Times Service

T RIPOLI, Libya — Fawzia Abdullah is a 21-year-old first lieutenant at the Women's Military Academy, an extraordinary institution in the Arab world.

Like most of her male counterparts, she has been trained to fire Russian-made surface-to-air missiles, to dismantle and reassemble Kalashnikov rifles in less than a minute, and to handle recoilless antiaircraft guns. She also plays the bagpipes in the marching

Her makeup is impeccable, her short fingernails painted with bright crimson polish. She wears fishnet stockings under mediumhigh-heeled miniboots, and solid gold-drop earrings offset her jet black hair. Her goal, she says, is to win an extra star and become a captain in

the Libyan Army, which no Libyan woman has yet accomplished. But, she added with a giggle, "I would also really like to get mar-The military academy — which

has trained 7,000 women since its opening in 1978 - is the most prominent symbol of Colonel Moamer Qadhafi's drive to make women and men equal, but wom-en in Libya, as elsewhere, remain vastly underrepresented at the top of virtually every part of society. Most women here are still housewives and mothers; few hold prominent jobs in politics or

At the same time, Oadhafi has made considerable strides in improving the status of women in his country, and has challenged many of the laws and traditions that have held women back in Arab cal changes in Arab societies," countries, according to Libyans and other Arah and Western residents here.

Women have won considerable rights since Qadhafi and a small group of junior officers overthrew the monarchy of King Idris in an almost bloodless military coup over 16 years ago.

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Qadhafi's wife, Safiya, shares

the disdain of many Libyan wom-

en for politics. Halfway through a

recent long interview in which

Qadhafi was elaborating on his

political views and foreign policy, she grew visibly bored and left the

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and the minimum legal age for marriage has been set at 18. Wnmen and men nnw have roughly comparable rights in deing a divorce.

Qadhafi is pressing the Basic People's Congresses, the units through which Libyans theoreti-cally run their own affairs, to discourage polygamy, which is tolerated by must Arab fslamic countries, by limiting each family to one home. "These are all radi-Qadhafi said in a recent inter-

Diplomats, Libyans and West-ern residents say, however, that resistance to such changes remains stubborn in this tribal, male-dominated and highly patriarchal society.

"It's going to take a very long time to change people's ideas," said Khadijal el-Jahmy, a former teacher, journalist, Libya's first female newscaster and magazine publisher and a leading and ar-

Like many Libyan wnmen, Jahmy, 65, could still be consid-

ered traditional in a Western pital where he was recovering sense. She believes strongly that a from appendicitis, Mrs. Qadhafi woman's primary role in life is as chose to pursue the traditional a wife, homemaker and mother, Libyan woman's role of wife and she said, and that education homemaker rather than her nursmakes women more productive career. With seven children, and effective in these tasks. she has time for little else, she To this day, women are vastly

> Qadhafi, on the other hand, wants his children, especially his only daughter, Aisha, to become doctors and perpetuators of his The Libyan leader has faced

the stiffest resistance of all to his vision of mobilizing every woman, as well as men, in the defense of the country. Libyans have been openly hostile to mandatory military training for high school girls and to the military academies in

"Libyans simply don't want their daughters running around in pants and toting AK-47 rifles," one diplomat said. Many Libyan families have even refused to send their daughters to high school to avoid compulsory military train-

the colonel's revolutionary ideas on the status of women is Islam. Many Libyans, deeply religious, believe that women must cover their heads for modesty as required by the Koran and be subservient to the heads of their

Qadhati has been wary in challenging the conservative sexual mores of his people, rooted partly in their interpretation of Islam. Adultery in Libya is punishable by public flogging. An unwed mother is sent to prison if the father of her child refuses to marry her. Abortion is illegal and contraception discouraged

"We need more children in this country," said Jahmy, defending restrictions on a woman's control of her body.

After repeated rebuffs from their elders, Qadhafi has focused most of his revolutionary proselytizing on the young. At many public appearances, he surrounds himself with gun-toting female revolutionary guards.

"He's just given up on the older folks," one Libyan asserted. "But kids now 17 and under are far more malleable. They don't remember a life before the revolu-

It is among them that he has recruited his revolutionary com-mittees and guards, an elite who constitute the vanguard of his revnlution. The colonel has come increasingly to depend on them as the hope for his government, resi-

One such activist is Fativa Zakkah, 32, mother of three, and an unpaid worker in Qadhafi's of-fice. She was 15 when the revolution came, she said, and inspired hy its goals, she joined the Arab Socialist Union at school, where she was noticed by Qadhafi, who asked her to work for him.

She is devoted to Qadhafi, Arab socialism and the victory of "progressive democracy," and for her, there is no contradiction between Islam and the revolution. She does not cover her head, but she has made the haj, the

pilgrimage to Mecca. "I dress modestly for Islam, she said. "But I would willingly take off all my clothes and runnaked into battle in defense of my

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Prince Andrew, 25, a British naval officer, welcomed his latest girl-friend Wednesday aboard the ship on which he serves, prompting speculation about a serious romance. Sarah Ferguson, 26, appeared at the HMS Brazen with Diana, Princess of Wales, Andrew kissed his sister-in-law and her 3year-old son, Prince William, but made no public gesture of affection to Ferguson, a sales executive with a printing firm. Her father, Major Rounie Ferguson, Prince Charles's polo manager, said later: "There is a strong relationship hetween them." Ferguson first appeared in public with Andrew last June at the Ascot races.

The composer Mikis Theodora kis, 60, who is also a member of parliament for the Greek Communist Party, said in an interview Wednesday with Ena, a weekly magazine, that he was preparing to leave Greece. "I am leaving because I cannot work here. I keep composing and I need choruses, orchestras and time on the radio. which are all government-cnntrolled and not given to me," he said. Theodorakis said he had secured a leave of absence from his party and will settle in Paris.

Israeli officials said Wednesday that Israel's Public Council for Theater and Movies, the govern-ment's censor of the arts, rejected a bid by the producer of "Oh! Calcutta!" to take it next month to Tel Aviv and Jerusalem. The producer, Norman Kean, replied: "I'll fight censorship anywhere in the world, and I'll fight this." The show was to arrive in Tel Aviv on March 20, during a two-year European tour.

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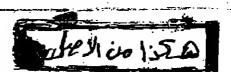
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